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We offer the compliments of the season and wish to thank our many customers for their patronage in the past. We trust this Catalogue will again assist in making your choice of Spring planting bulbs, seeds and plants all of the very best quality.

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DE JAGER'S GOLD MEDAL

Large flowering Gladiolus

Gladioli are now greatly favoured flowers and need no lengthy description. The improved strain of these magnificent flowers produce enormous spikes with very large strikingly coloured blooms of enchanting beauty. They have a very commanding appearance in borders and in groups among shrubs where they remain in bloom for a considerable length of time. They are also excellent as cut-flowers.

Culture: Plant Gladioli 3 to 4 inches deep and 5 to 6 inches apart in a well drained and good garden soil from the beginning of March, at intervals, until the middle of May, in order to have a succession of blooms from July until early autumn. Do not add fresh manure. Gladioli like a sunny and sheltered position. It is advisable to change the location of Gladioli-plantings every year.

The prices quoted are for Topsize corms.

1. Early 2. Mid-season

3. Late season.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS OF GLADIOLUS FOR EXHIBITION

These collections give a wonderful opportunity to acquaint you with 12 recently introduced varieties selected from this section in three different price-ranges. All varieties are of great merit and exhibition form and selected with utmost care, especially for show and competition purposes.

12	Bulbs	s 1	each	of	f 12	exhibition	varieties								\$2.00; \$ 3.00 or \$ 4.00
24	**	2	99	,,	12	"	,,			٠	٠				\$4.00;\$ 6.00 or\$ 8.00
48		4	••		12										\$ 8.00; \$ 12.00 or \$ 16.00

Outstanding Varieties of Recent Introduction

Beautiful mixed Hybrid seedlings, a rare and magnificent mixture of unknown seedlings from several of the best strains and will contain many surprises as to size of spikes, good forms and lovely colours, which makes this superb mixture extremely attractive.

90 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100

Ambrosia (2), an excellent variety, colouring vivid salmon-orange with somewhat ruffled open florets from which 6 to 8 are out at a time, nicely set on a strong stem. An exquisite variety in every respect and grand show-flower. F.C.C. Haarlem 1958. (See illustration page 11.)

\$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100

Apotheosis (2), a magnificent light mauvy-blue Gladiolus of enormous size, large rounded open florets from which 6 to 8 are out at a time, producing an immense truss of uncommon beauty. Very vigorous grower and ideal exhibition-flower. \$ 1.70 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

Bengalen (2), striking and gay flower, creamy white with a flush of pink and remarkably marked with a deep carmine-red blotch in throat. A most attractive Gladiolus in colour and an excellent showflower. \$ 1.70 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

Blue Bird (2), a fine novelty in blue being a decided improvement on existing varieties because of its deep colour, many flowers open at the same time, perfectly arranged on a good stem.

\$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100

Costa Brava (2), exceptionally beautiful shade of bluish-purple, with deep purple blotch in centre, large, well-formed flowers of excellent quality, 6 to 8 open together on a strong stem. A.M. Haarlem 1959. \$ 2.30 per doz.; \$ 16.00 per 100

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Doctor Salk (2), a delightful shade of flamed poppy-red, flowers are of an enormous size and excellent form borne on a strong rigid stem, undoubtedly one of the most outstanding novelties of the season.

A.M. Haarlem 1959. F.C.C. Haarlem 1960.

\$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

- Ego Flos (2), brilliant scarlet-red with a white streak on lower petals, a well proportioned new introduction of strong constitution, producing a long truss of large open florets. A variety of high quality in every respect.

 \$ 2.30 per doz.; \$ 16.00 per 100
- Eiffeltoren (3), enormous ivory-white variety of perfect form and finish producing a grand spike with a colossal truss of beautifully formed florets, a most valuable white sport of the well known Alfred Nobel with all its good characteristics. F.C.C. Haarlem 1960. \$ 1.45 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100
- **Empire** (1), deep salmon-pink with a creamy-white mark in throat, a wonderful Gladiolus of perfect formation, large open florets equally set on a long strong stem, excellent show-flower.

\$ 1.70 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

- Fairy Queen (2), beautiful soft coloured rose-pink slightly creamy-white down the throat, producing an enormous spike of well-formed florets. A magnificent show-flower and valuable garden-plant.

 \$ 2.30 per doz.; \$ 16.00 per 100
- **Feast** (2), cherry-red with a large greyish purple centre, a very unusual and attractive colour-combination, producing a grand spike with large open florets well-faced on a strong stem.

\$ 1.55 per doz.; \$ 11.00 per 100

Flaming Fire (2), a beautiful uniform scarlet-red throughout, a very large handsome flower of unusual colouring, winner of the Challenge Cup of the Dutch Gladioli Soc.-show 1958 as the best novelty of the year. A most impressive variety and excellent show-flower, F.C.C. Haarlem 1958.

\$ 1.45 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100

- Gloriana (1), a very warm coloured salmon-pink novelty of an enormous size, well proportioned and of a very strong constitution. The very large and open florets are evenly spaced on the stem and face forwards. It is best described as an improved Dr. Fleming. \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100
- Golden Fiction (2), a glorious bloom of a delightful shade of golden yellow slightly greenish-yellow towards the throat, produces a flowerspike of immense size of which 6 to 8 well-formed florets are out at a time.

 \$ 1.70 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100
- Marie Luz (2), delicate pearl-blue with a deep violet-blue blotch on lower petals, a new variety of stately habit and most attractive in colour and form.

 40 cts. each; \$ 4.00 per doz.
- Melocoton (1), soft apricot-yellow with a shade of naples-yellow all over the flower, a variety of immense size and very strong constitution producing a tremendous truss of 8 to 10 florets open at a time, a show-flower of great merit. F.C.C. Haarlem 1959. \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100
- Miranda (2), a variety of very delicate character and form, it is clear pink, somewhat darker at the edge of petals with a narrow purple pencilling on lower petals, ideal exhibition-flower because of its long truss of open florets and beautiful colour. A.M. Haarlem 1959. \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100
- My Fair Lady (2), soft lavender-lilac with purple blotch on lower petals on a white underground, a beautifully coloured novelty for the show-table or flower-arrangements. A.M. Haarlem 1959.

75 cts. each; \$ 7.50 per doz.

- Norvica (1), because of its fine colour and perfect truss-formation it is one of the most desirable salmon-pink introductions. Well-formed open florets with 8 to 10 out at a time are carried on a strong stem. An excellent show-flower.

 \$ 1.45 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100
- Pastel Beauty (1), a most fascinating new introduction of a lovely pale mauve-blue with a conspicuous large purple-red blotch on lower petals, produces a spike of immense size with 10 to 12 florets out at a time. A.M. Haarlem 1955. \$ 1.70 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100
- Perosi (1), warm salmon-pink with a touch of carmine-red on lower petals. A magnificent new introduction of very large size, producing a long truss of open flowers on a strong stem. F.C.C. Haarlem 1958.

 75 cts. each; \$ 7.50 per doz.
- Pink Sensation (2), a noble variety of delicate character and extreme loveliness. The flowers are soft rosy-pink, somewhat deeper on the edge of the petals. A glorious variety of enormous size with 8 to 10 open florets at a time. \$ 1.70 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100
- Regina Coeli (2), a uniform pure white flower of extremely beautiful and graceful form. The large open florets are well-spaced on a long erect stem, recognized as the best white of the season at the Dutch Gladioli Show 1957. \$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100
- René Coty (3), a remarkable striking variety, colour deep mandarin-red with a shade of carmine in throat, a well built flower of great quality and finish; the large open florets are nicely set on a strong straight stem. F.C.C. Haarlem 1958. \$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100

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Roman Holiday (2), a most attractive coloured vermilion-pink novelty beautifully marked with a large scarlet blotch in throat, a very charming Gladiolus with a long truss of open florets. An ideal cut-flower. A.M. Haarlem 1958. \$ 1.70 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

- Rosita (2), soft rosy-red with a creamy-white blotch in throat, one of the outstanding novelties of the season, a variety of noble form and substance with large open florets nicely set on a long straight stem. A grand show-flower. A.M. Haarlem 1958.

 40 cts. each; \$ 4.00 per doz.
- Scarlet Pimpernel (2), vivid scarlet-red with a conspicuous white streak on lower petals. A wonderful and most blazing coloured variety for the garden, producing a grand spike with large open florets.

 \$ 2.30 per doz.; \$ 16.00 per 100
- **Smiling Queen** (2), a Gladiolus of refined beauty and charming colour of delicate peach-blossom pink. The florets are of a particularly beautiful form and gracefully set along the tall straight stem. A grand exhibition variety and a garden flower of singular grace. A.M. Haarlem 1953.

\$ 1.70 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

- Summer Pearl (2), winner of the Challenge Cup of the Dutch Gladioli Soc.-Show 1960 as the best novelty of the year. A gigantic and most impressive bright pink, white in centre, producing a long truss of 10 to 12 wide open florets on a strong stem. A show-flower of extreme beauty and perfection in every way. F.C.C. Haarlem 1959.

 \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100
- Sweepstake (1), deep vivid pink somewhat lighter in throat with cyclamen-red veins on lower petals, a new variety of enormous size and perfect finish, producing a long truss of well-formed florets on a strong stem. F.C.C. Haarlem 1958.

 40 cts. each; \$ 4.00 per doz.
- **Tequendama** (2), the purest white throughout, an immense flower of perfection in shape as well as form, producing a long truss of beautiful open florets. A.M. Haarlem 1959.

75 cts. each; \$ 7.50 per doz.

Thomas Mann (2), a well built flower of superb quality and beautiful salmon-pink colour with carmine pencilling in throat; the large open florets are well arranged on a strong stem. A magnificent show-flower and valuable garden plant. F.C.C. Haarlem 1958. A.M. (T.G.) B.G.S.

\$ 2.30 per doz.; \$ 16.00 per 100

- Vanity Fair (2), certainly a most uncommon but attractive colour-scheme of pale yellow overlaid with streaks of brownish-orange; the large open florets are nicely set on a strong straight stem. A flower of particular charm and beauty. \$ 1.70 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100
- Vulcano (3), a very beautiful tangerine-orange coloured variety, somewhat lighter at base, a very outstanding new introduction with a long truss of more or less rounded florets, rather late flowering.

 \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100
- Wildrose (1), a most attractive colour combination of soft violet-pink and large creamy-white centre, a variety of great charm and delicate yet unusual appearance producing a long truss of large open flowers. A.M. Haarlem 1960. (See illustration page 12.) \$ 1.70 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

New Gladiolus Introductions 1961

We introduce each year a number of Gladioli which are in our opinion among the best varieties exhibited during the previous season and which have not previously been introduced. These brand new introductions may be regarded as a considerable improvement on the present collection of Gladioli, as this selection is made with utmost care and consideration for substance, poise, colour-value and size of the flowers.

- Clarissa (2), a Gladiolus of refined beauty and charming colour of delicate lavender-violet with cyclamen-purple blotch in throat, the beautifully formed florets are gracefully set along the tall straight stem. A.M. Haarlem 1960.

 75 cts. each; \$ 7.50 per doz.
- Dolce (2), a noble variety of delicate character and extreme loveliness, soft rosy-red flower with a large white blotch in throat; the large open florets are nicely set along a strong stem. A flower of particular charm and beauty. A.M. Haarlem 1960.
 75 cts. each; \$ 7.50 per doz.
- Long Island (2) may be best considered as an improved Picardy but with a more lively salmon pink colour and more open florets on a most elegant long spike. Undoubtedly a very attractive new introduction. A.M. Haarlem 1960.
 50 cts. each; \$ 5.00 per doz.
- Mary Ann (2), a magnificent large flower of a beautiful violet-pink colour with large open florets from which 6 to 8 open at a time. A well proportioned new variety of high quality and ideal cut-flower.

 50 cts. each; \$ 5.00 per doz.
- Miss America (2), a tremendous large variety of peachy-pink with creamy-white inside marked with a vivid blood-red blotch on lower petals, very outstanding for colour and of vigorous habit.

50 cts. each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

Ruffled Sensation (2), a very outstanding clean white introduction with a small creamy blotch in throat, beautifully ruffled florets from which 8 to 10 out at a time producing a long spike of very strong character.

75 cts. each; \$ 7.50 per doz.

Standard Varieties

COLLECTIONS OF GARDEN GLADIOLUS

Our collections of large-flowering Gladiolus are very popular and always give entire satisfaction. Customers may rely upon getting 10 beautiful and distinct varieties of good strong constitution in a wide range of colours.

50	Bulbs,	5	each	of	10	named	varieties,	our	selection.										\$ 31	50
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Choice Mixture of large-flowered Gladiolus, especially made up from named varieties producing a gorgeous display of brilliant and contrasting colours throughout the summer and customers will find many delightful surprises in this mixture. Recommended for massing in beds or borders and for growing as cut-flowers.

80 cts. per doz.; \$ 5.50 per 100; \$ 50.00 per 1000

Abu Hassan (1), one of the finest dark pansy-blue Gladiolus in commerce, a good grower with many well-formed flowers opening at the same time and which are perfectly arranged on tall, upright spikes. \$ 1.15 per doz.; \$ 8.00 per 100

Acca Laurentia (1), a charming variety, colour deep orange-yellow with creamy white blotch on lower petals, 8 to 10 lovely florets open at a time, well placed on a tall, slender upright stem. An excellent garden variety and recommended for decorative purposes. 85 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100

Agnita (1), a handsome flower of a very deep red colour, a most outstanding variety with 6 to 8 open florets at a time, well arranged on a tall strong stem. A very effective garden plant.

95 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100

Alfred Nobel (2), a very outstanding and remarkable introduction of exceptional beauty and distinction, a pleasing salmon-rose with a large white blotch on lower petals, the 7 to 8 wide open florets out at a time form a colossal truss of great substance and excellent poise, outstanding for the show-table. A.M. B.G.S. 1951, F.C.C. Haarlem 1951, F.C.C. R.H.S. 1960.

\$ 1.10 per doz.; \$ 7.50 per 100

Arc de Triomphe (2), a very remarkable creamy yellow sport of the famous old favourite Bloemfontein with all its good characteristics as a long well-formed spike with 8 to 10 florets open at a time.

\$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100

Aristocrat (2), an aristocrat because of its fine formed florets and its beautiful deep purple-red colour, an ideal elegant truss with 5 to 6 wide-open florets out at a time. A variety with great lasting qualities and beauty. \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100

Bloemfontein (2), a gorgeous variety with large flowers of a delightful shade of salmon with a soft-yellow blotch on lower petals, 8 to 10 well-formed florets out at a time on a good spike, recommended for the garden and for cutting.

85 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100

Blue Conqueror (1), this glorious Gladiolus may be regarded as an excellent variety in the blues; a very attractive variety in its deep blue colour producing an enormous spike with 8 florets open at a time. In every respect ideal as a garden and show-flower. F.C.C. Haarlem 1955.

\$ 1.45 per doz.; **\$ 9.75** per 100

Blue Haze (2), surely the best "Smoky" colour yet originated, a lovely reddish-violet without marking and an undertone of blue-mauve. Awarded at the grand Jubilee Exhibition 1952 of the Dutch Gladioli Soc. as the best in its colour. A Gladiolus of striking appearance, producing a slender but strong spike with 6 to 8 florets open at a time. An outstanding novelty of recent introduction. A.M. Haarlem 1952.

\$ 1.15 per doz.; \$ 8.00 per 100

Bonanza (2), very tall large-flowering exhibition variety of a rich apricot yellow colour, flowers are of excellent substance perfectly placed on a strong straight stem. A unique variety among Gladioli and a most delightful flower of unusual interest. F.C.C. Haarlem 1954. A.M. Wisley 1958.

\$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100

Bridesmaid (1), soft peach-blossom pink, a striking variety of splendid substance producing large, open, somewhat ruffled florets, regularly set on a strong stem. \$ 1.45 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100

Coronation (1), an outstanding novelty of solid substance and uncommon beauty, warm salmon-pink colour with coppery yellow in throat, producing an enormous strong spike with 8 to 10 florets open at a time. A.M. Haarlem 1953. (See illustration page 12.) \$ 1.15 per doz.; \$ 8.00 per 100

Diamond (2), a glorious creamy-yellow of a lovely and perfect carriage with a fine apricot shade in centre. This noble Gladiolus may be considered as the choicest in its class; the beautifully formed flowers are very regularly placed on an erect stem; a cut-flower of singular grace. A.M. Haarlem 1952.

\$ 1.10 per doz.; **\$ 7.50** per 100

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Dr. Fleming (2), a most lovely shade of soft pink shading to white down the throat; 10 to 12 expanded florets out at a time on a tall strong stem. A very beautiful variety for the garden and for exhibition.

95 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100

Fire King (1), a wonderful scarlet-red Gladiolus which will bring to your garden the unusual and extreme beauty of the Gladioli; it is simply superb, having a brilliancy and purity of colour and a perfection of finish hardly approached by any other. A grand variety suitable for all purposes.

\$ 1.10 per doz.; \$ 7.50 per 100

- Flowersong (2), very outstanding deep yellow coloured variety, one of the best introductions of the last three years, highly praised for perfection of form and long truss of open florets. F.C.C. Haarlem 1955. (See illustration page 11.)

 \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100
- Flying Dutchman (2), a magnificent deep blue Gladiolus and one of the best in the blues, extremely beautiful spike of noble form and fine stature producing a strong spike with 6 to 8 perfect florets out at a time. An exhibition flower of great merit. A.M. Haarlem 1953.

\$ 1.40 per doz.; **\$ 9.50** per 100

Friendship (2), an attractive soft rose-pink coloured fine introduction with creamy-white centre, medium sized florets of perfect form and texture. A valuable variety for flower decoration.

\$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 9.00 per 100

- Ganges (2), a beautiful and very attractive colour-combination of creamy-white with a large purpleblue blotch in throat. A variety of great charm and delicate yet unusual appearance. Will be most welcome in a border and for cutting. \$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 9.00 per 100
- General Eisenhower (2), this is considered to be one of the choicest varieties, a beautiful begonia-pink with large expanding florets of noble form, producing enormous spikes of perfect carriage and fine texture.

 \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100
- **Gold Dust** (1), a pretty buttercup-yellow with many flowers out at the same time; a good garden variety producing a strong stem on which the florets are handsomely arranged.

\$ 1.00 per doz.; **\$ 7.00** per 100

- Grand National (2), a giant among Gladioli and an ideal flower in every respect, a vivid-pink with white mark in throat. A most satisfactory introduction and a real sensation at our shows because of its wide expanding florets and stately dignity not possessed by any other, producing an enormous spike with 8 florets out at once. A.M. Haarlem 1952. \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100
- Han van Meegeren (1), deep primrose-yellow with a touch of soft apricot down the throat. A magnificent spike of well-formed open florets nicely placed along a straight stem. An effective garden variety and excellent cut-flower.

 95 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100
- **Happiness** (2), a fine variety of delicate character and extreme loveliness, deep bordeaux-red with velvety sheen, very enchanting variety of unusual colouring, opens 6 to 8 well-formed florets at a time. A.M. Haarlem 1953. \$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 9.00 per 100
- **Harry Hopkins** (2), a highly rated introduction and one of the choicest in its colour, a very beautiful wine-red flower with 7 to 10 florets out at a time, being of perfect form and texture.

\$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100

- Hawaii (2), beautiful rich-toned mahogany-red colour, somewhat lighter towards margin of petals, a Mansoer seedling of great distinction, recommended for all purposes. Award of Merit B.G.S. 1950.
 85 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100
- Hochsommer (2), very large flower of a warm apricot-orange colour, 7 to 8 florets open at a time on a tall straight stem, extremely beautiful spike of very noble form, good substance and magnificent stature.

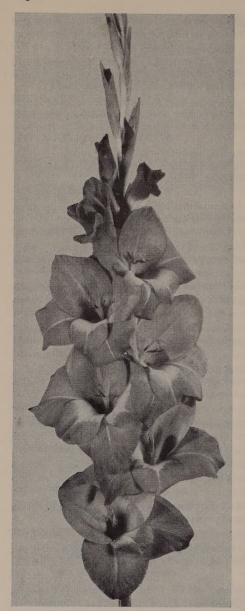
 95 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100
- **Hopman's Glory** (2), a rich shade of sunflower-yellow, large well-formed florets are nicely placed on a strong stem, vigorous grower that will stand all weather conditions.

\$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100

- Insurpassable (2), enormous spike with 7 to 8 florets of a glorious purple red. An impressive and magnificent garden-flower with a perfectly straight spike. A sample of perfection and texture. F.C.C. Haarlem 1954.
 \$ 1.15 per doz.; \$ 8.00 per 100
- Johan Strausz (1), a much improved Joh. S. Bach, an exquisite early flowering variety of a beautiful salmon-red with 10 to 12 flowers out at a time, gracefully arranged on an upright stem, very useful for the garden and for cutting.

 85 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100
- **Jo Wagenaar** (2), a beautiful and very attractive variety of an outstanding deep crimson colour with white stripes on petals, 8–10 noble wide open florets out at a time nicely arranged on a tall spike. F.C.C., R.H.S. 1949. \$ **1.00** per doz.; \$ **7.00** per 100
- **Junebells** (1), a pure white variety which is rated among the best of all white Gladioli 6 to 8 wide open florets out at a time and which are nicely spaced on good stems, very beautiful.

\$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100



Lustige Witwe

Keukenhof (3), exceptionally fine lilac-pink with a touch of mauve deepening to soft salmon-pink at the edge of petals with a creamy-yellow blotch in throat, a beautiful fine introduction producing a wonderfull truss of 6 to 8 well-formed open florets on a strong stalk. \$1.15 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100

Kosmos (2), beautiful soft salmon-pink to creamy-yellow in centre, one of the most outstanding novelties of the last years, producing a tremendous long spike of large open florets. Highly recommended for exhibition and garden decoration. F.C.C. Haarlem 1955. \$ 1.15 per doz.; \$ 8.00 per 100

Lavender Giant (2), beautiful deep lavender coloured novelty, a great improvement on the old Lavender Dream, a delicate variety of constant delight and an excellent show-flower, producing a strong erect stem with 6 to 8 well-formed florets out at a time. F.C.C. Haarlem 1954. \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100

Leeuwenhorst (1), a magnificent exhibition variety, of a pure salmon-pink colour, flowers are wide-open and nicely arranged on a tall spike, highly rated.

95 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100

Leif Ericsson (2), a brilliant variety of good colour value; creamy white ruffled florets of perfect shape and solid texture, well arranged on a tall strong stem. A very vigorous flower of ideal habit.

\$ 1.15 per doz.; \$ 8.00 per 100

Lilac Perfection (1), a charming mauvy-lilac coloured variety of noble form and stature, producing a long truss of beautifully rounded florets on a strong stem. F.C.C. Haarlem 1957. (See illustration page 11.)

\$ 1.25 per doz.; \$ 8.50 per 100

Lustige Witwe (2), a fine soft lilac-blue and large creamy-white centre, one of the most popular Gladioli of the last years. Attractive in colour as it may be, it produces a wonderful strong spike with about 8 wide-open florets. A strong healthy grower and splendid show-flower. A.M. Haarlem 1952.

\$ 1.00 per doz.; **\$ 7.00** per 100

Mabel Violet (2), this glorious Gladiolus may be regarded as the best purple-violet in its class, very large flowers overlaid with a velvety sheen 6 to 8 florets out at a time on an extremely beautiful spike of noble form, good substance and magnificent stature. F.C.C. Haarlem 1952, A.M. B.G.S.1952.

\$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100

Magic Beauty (2), a very attractive deep smoky coloured variety marked with a large red blotch in

throat, producing a grand truss of perfectly formed florets on a strong stem, an improved Silhouette of high quality. A.M. Haarlem 1956. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.50 per 100

Mansoer (2), a popular old favourite, its colour is deep blood-red with a black velvet glow spread all over the large wide open flowers, of which 6 to 8 are out at a time and are of faultless form, nicely placed on a tall erect stem; an outstanding Gladiolus on account of its unusual colour and vigorous habit, also recommended for exhibition.

85 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100

Maria Goretti (1), a glorious white variety of lovely form and perfect carriage. This Gladiolus is considered the choicest in its class. For purity of colour, perfection and texture it has no equal, 10 to 12 open florets of excellent substance are produced on a tall strong stem. F.C.C. Haarlem 1952. Highly commended B.G.S. 1952. \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100

Mary Housley (1), an exceedingly large spike of perfect formation, the florets are of a lovely creamywhite colour with large vermilion blotch on lower petals evenly placed on a tall strong stem. F.C.C. Haarlem 1954. \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100

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Memorial Day (1), a very beautiful introduction of a lovely purple with a white line in throat, producing long trusses of well-formed florets, the best in this colour. 95 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100

Mignon (3), a fine flower of exceptional texture and charm. Its colour is a soft cattleya-pink with a carmine-red marking on base of lower petals, one of the varieties of the better class, producing a grand spike of 8 to 10 florets out at a time. A.M., B.G.S. 1952. F.C.C. Haarlem 1953.

\$ 1.30 per doz.; **\$ 9.00** per 100

- **Morning Kiss** (1), pure white florets of lovely shape and solid texture gracefully arranged along the tall, slender stem; 8 to 10 flowers open at a time. A very effective garden-plant and lovely cut-flower. \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100
- **Mozart** (2), a perfect formed new introduction of a beautiful coloured uniform raspberry-red marked with conspicuous red pencilling in throat. The flowers are of excellent substance and perfectly placed along a strong stem. A.M. Haarlem 1956. (See illustration page 12.)

\$ 1.15 per doz.; **\$ 8.00** per 100

- New Europe (3), beyond question one of the best scarlet Gladioli in cultivation, a beautiful geranium-scarlet; flowers are large yet matchless in form, several of which are out at a time and perfectly placed on straight stems, it is an exquisite variety in every respect, recommended for all purposes.

 95 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100
- Oriental Splendour (2), a noble flower of very unusual, yet attractive brownish-red colour with an inside of creamy-yellow. A smoky variety of unique character, producing an enormous spike of 6 to 8 well-formed florets, nicely placed on a strong stem. A brilliant variety of good colour value and ideal habit. A.M. Haarlem 1952. A.M. B.G.S. 1953. \$1.70 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100
- Pactolus (1), an excellent variety, colouring buff-yellow with a red blotch which suffuses the petals the 8 to 10 florets out at a time make a magnificent truss.

 85 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100
- Palette (2), one of the most remarkable Gladioli ever raised in its strange but attractive colour which is deep salmon-red with a clear blue blotch in throat. A real sensation creating an impressive effect as show- and garden-flower.

 \$ 1.15 per doz.; \$ 8.00 per 100
- **Pandion** (1), a wonderful self-coloured mauvy-lilac of a beautiful form and fine character, undoubtedly one of the outstanding novelties of the season, ideal in shape and texture with a tremendous long truss of open florets. F.C.C. Haarlem 1955. (See illustration page 11.) \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100
- Paul Rubens (2), a very fine variety with large wide open flowers of a lovely uniform reddish purple with small magenta blotches on lower petals, stem and poise are superb as many as 8 to 10 florets out at a time, truly one of the most beautiful varieties and which we can strongly recommend for all purposes.

 95 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100
- **Perky** (2), light mauve with a large cyclamen-purple blotch on lower petals. A charming and distinct variety on account of its fine colour-combination and long truss of open florets.

\$ 1.70 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

Picardy (2), the popularity and charm of this grand variety arise from its glorious salmon-pink colour with darker feathering on lower petals, it is indeed one of the best Gladioli in cultivation and produces an unusual tall and strong stem on which the florets are elegantly arranged. One of the finest garden varieties, very enchanting when cut and a perfect exhibition variety, strongly recommended.

85 cts. per doz.; \$ **6.00** per 100

- **Polygoon** (1), very attractive creamy-yellow producing a tremendous spike of uncommon beauty. Magnificent formed florets with conspicuous red blotch in throat of which 10 to 12 are out at a time. A strong and healthy grower, splendid cut-flower and exhibition variety. F.C.C. Haarlem 1952. \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100
- Pride of Holland (1), a very deep red variety with long straight spike, on which 7 to 9 nicely formed florets are beautifully set. A glorious novelty, which produces a most effective display in all positions.

 95 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100
- Ravel (2), one of the best Gladiolus in commerce, producing a grand spike with 6 to 8 florets out at a time, a lovely pale blue with mauve blotch on lower petals. A stately variety of outstanding and commanding poise. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100
- Rose of Lima (2), a very beautiful Gladiolus of outstanding size and carriage a lovely shade of clear rose-pink, 6 to 8 wide open florets of good form are out at a time and are nicely arranged on a tall stalk. \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100
- Salman's Sensation (2), a real sensation because of its deep pansy-blue colour and magnificent spike. An exquisite variety of great beauty; its marvellous flowers are of a splendid form and size. Undoubtedly one of the best in the blue colours, an exhibition variety of great merit and of unusual appearance. A.M. Haarlem 1951. \$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 9.00 per 100

- Sans Souci (2), a Gladiolus of a brilliant appearance because of its fascinating scarlet colour. A superb variety which is generally regarded as one of the choicest of the scarlets. A garden flower of great distinction, splendid cut-flower and excellent for decorative and exhibit purpose. A.M., R.H.S. 1952.

 95 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100
- Scarlet Leader (1), a choice introduction of superb qualities, intense scarlet-red throughout and of a brilliancy which is unique amongst Gladioli. It is unquestionably one of the best in its colour and it is necessary to see the actual bloom to appreciate the delicacy of its appearance. It produces 8 to 10 nicely formed florets out at a time and a spike of uncommon beauty. F.C.C. Haarlem 1955. (See illustration page 11.)

 \$ 1.05 per doz.; \$ 7.50 per 100
- **Silhouet** (2), an attractive "Smoky", a shade many garden enthusiasts like to have in their collection the smoky-mauve florets with a reddish blotch on lower petals are well placed on a tall upright stem of sturdy habit; a lovely garden variety and charming for groups in the border.

95 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100

Snowprincess (2), a very beautiful white Gladiolus of stately habit, milky-white with a tinge of green down the throat, giving it an exquisite appearance, 6 to 8 well-formed flowers are out at a time and closely arranged on a tall sturdy stem, excellent variety for all purposes.

85 cts. per doz.; \$ **6.00** per 100

- Spic & Span (2), a well known Gladiolus, but still a favourite among the better varieties, its fine salmon-pink colour and tremendous long spike are always an attraction. A grand variety for any purpose, especially for the show-table.

 \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100
- Spotlight (3), an exceptionally beautiful and distinct variety in its bright yellow colour with a marking of real scarlet blotch on lower petals. A Gladiolus that will greatly please all who grow it especially as garden flower.
 \$ 1.15 per doz.; \$ 8.00 per 100
- **Tosto** (1), one of the early flowering varieties with enormous Amaryllis-like flowers of a lovely brick-red colour, the wide open florets measuring 7 in. across are correctly spaced on a tall strong stem. F.C.C. Haarlem 1954. \$ 1.15 per doz.; \$ 8.00 per 100
- Vink's Glory (1), a highly rated yellow variety of splendid quality heavy texture and good setting, opens 6 to 8 large florets at a time. A grand exhibition variety, and truly a glory.

\$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100

- Washington (1), very tall, large flowering exhibition variety of a pure apple-blossom-pink colour. Flowers are of an excellent substance, perfectly placed on a strong and sturdy stem; exceptionally long spike measuring 24 in. from the first bloom to top. A real giant producing a truss of 10 to 12 florets out at a time. F.C.C. Haarlem 1953. (See illustration page 11.) 95 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100
- Wembley (2), an impressive pure white Gladiolus of recent introduction an ideal flower in every respect with large somewhat ruffled florets nicely set on a long strong stalk. A perfect garden variety of strong constitution.

 \$ 1.15 per doz.; \$ 8.00 per 100
- Winston Churchill (2), this wonderful introduction is as outstanding as its name indicates a choice flower of a beautiful dark velvety red with 7 to 8 very large well-formed florets out at a time which are nicely displayed on a strong erect stem making it a broad noble truss of splendid carriage; a Mansoer seedling of great merit. Recommended for exhibition and for the garden. A.M.R.H.S. 1955.

 \$ 1.10 per doz.; \$ 7.50 per 100

Gladiolus Primulinus

and other early small-flowering Gladioli

Unsurpassed for elegance and charm, the varieties of this section are most graceful and highly distinct for their unusual colouring, wiry spikes and dainty habit, a welcome addition for table decoration.

COLLECTIONS OF GLADIOLUS PRIMULINUS

- Choice Mixture of small-flowering Gladiolus and Primulinus hybrids, especially made up from several stocks of fine seedlings in which will be found many delightful surprises. These are bound to give entire satisfaction because of their fine elegant blooms of charming habit. Highly recommended as cut-flower and for table decoration.

 80 cts. per doz.; \$ 5.50 per 100
- Allard Pierson (1), the charm of this small flowering variety arises from its nice colour, being vivid salmon-red. Lovely spike with a slender, upright stem. A perfect garden variety and an exceptionally useful cut-flower.

 75 cts. per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100
- Apex (1), beautiful soft cardinal-red with a conspicuous creamy-white rim along the end of petals, a fine seedling of the well-known Atom, quite similar in colour, but of a more stronger constitution. Excellent show- and cut-flower. \$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 9.00 per 100

Bo-peep (1), a very attractive coloured buff pink, overlaid with apricot salmon, golden yellow throat, opens 5 to 6 nicely ruffled blooms of heavy substance. Very early and excellent cut-flower.

95 cts. per doz,; \$ **6.50** per 100

- Candy (2), another small flowering introduction of recent date because of its unusual colouring of a cinnamon shade with scarlet markings on lower petals; the well-formed flowers make a handsome truss of good constitution.
 85 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100
- **Coquette** (2), a beautiful lively poppy-red coloured new introduction of a perfect formation producing a long spike of uncommon charm and grace, a most fascinating cut-flower.

85 cts. per doz.; **\$ 6.00** per 100

- **David Copperfield** (2), clear yellow, beautifully blotched with orange-yellow on lower petals, very attractive cut-flower because of its colour and dainty habit. \$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100
- Giorgione (2), a distinct and attractive sulphur-white with creamy-white blotch in throat. A superb variety in every respect and lovely cut-flower.

 85 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100
- **Golden Horn** (2), soft greenish-yellow somewhat deeper yellow in throat, a most enchanting small flowering variety of great charm. \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100
- **Guildhall** (2), very rich salmon-orange with a blood-red pencilling on lower petals, a variety of extreme beauty producing a lovely long truss of open florets nicely set on a strong stem.

\$ 1.00 per doz.; **\$ 7.00** per 100

- Her Grace (1), a most elegant cattleya-pink Primulinus, well proportioned and graceful, a handsome variety of perfect habit and very attractive as a cut-flower. 75 cts. per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100
- Juliette (2), an attractive shade of deep velvet purple-violet, beautifully edged white, extremely dainty variety of graceful habit and ideal for cutting. \$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 9.00 per 100
- La Petite Orange (2), a fine introduction of distinguished beauty and elegance; vivid orange on a golden yellow ground composing the most pleasing colour-combination. Very suitable for decorative purposes.

 80 cts. per doz.; \$ 5.50 per 100
- **Mephisto** (2), a choice variety for its deep mandarin-red colour and beautifully formed truss of open florets, an extremely attractive and dainty Primulinus, apart from any other.

\$ 1.30 per doz.; **\$ 9.00** per 100

- Orange Papillon (1), unique shade of orange on golden-yellow ground, an enchanting variety of singular grace and an excellent cut-flower for decorative purposes. One of the marvels of the Primulinus section.

 90 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100
- Orchid Lilac (1), beautiful cattleya-pink with creamy white down the throat, a most elegant Primulinus especially when placed in a small vase. 75 cts. per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100
- Page Boy (2), a most successful seedling of the small-flowering Atom, a fine coloured mandarin-red variety edged yellow, an extremely attractive Primulinus. A.M. B.G. Soc. 1958.

\$ 1.70 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

- Pegasus (1), soft creamy-white with a light shade of violet inside and a remarkable deep purple-red streak on lower petals, a very effective variety in colour. \$ 1.30 per doz.; \$ 9.00 per 100
- **Perseus** (2), a delicate coloured rosy-white novelty marked with a clear red blotch in centre a delightful flower of great charm and lovely contrasting shade. (See illustration page 12.)

\$1.30 per doz.; \$9.00 per 100

- Peter Pan (2), dark orange-pink deepening in throat, beautiful autumn-coloured variety, opens 6 to 8 heavily frilled blooms of great substance, valuable cut-flower. 90 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100
- Picturesque (1), one of the most beautiful in the small flowering section; this variety stands out prominently because of its pure white colour conspicuously marked with a vivid scarlet blotch; the well shaped dainty florets are nicely set on a strong but elegant stem, producing a spike of uncommon charm and grace.

 \$ 1.20 per doz.; \$ 8.50 per 100
- **Pigmy** (2), soft creamy-yellow with rosy-pink upper petals, marked with a broad dark purple-red blotch on lower petals, a beautiful contrasting colour combination with pretty formed florets along a graceful stem. (See illustration page 12.) \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100
- **Pretoria** (2), a lovely shade of coral-red flushed orange with golden-yellow centre and streaks of carmine on lower petals. The beautifully shaped florets are nicely arranged along the tall slender stems.

85 cts. per doz.; \$ **6.00** per 100

- Rosy Morn (2), beautiful pink merging into carmine-pink at the end of petals and creamy-white centre, very attractive variety for table decoration. \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100
- Treasure (2), one of the darkest coloured varieties in this section with a blackish appearance of velvety blood-red, an outstanding novelty. \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100
- Trump (2), a novelty of great beauty producing a most elegant long truss of brilliant orange florets well spaced on a strong but slender stem, excellent cut-flower for decorative purposes.

 80 cts. per doz.; \$ 5.50 per 100

Velvet Joy (2), deep bordeaux-red with a shade of dark velvet-red over the whole flower, a dominating variety for colour, valuable cut-flower. \$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100

White Lady (1), a very pretty, neat, and striking flower of the purest white colour, produces a graceful spike, which renders itself particularly for decorative purposes. **85 cts.** per doz.; \$ **6.00** per 100

Yellow Special (2), a very rich tone of sunflower-yellow with a shade of soft apricot. Large perfect florets of exceptional lasting quality, which are nicely displayed on a strong stem. Strikingly used for bedding, most showy in the border and very suitable as cut-flower.

85 cts. per doz.; \$ **6.00** per 100

Gladiolus Butterfly

There is a great interest for small flowering Gladioli and the Primulinus hybrids have been for a long time the most popular varieties for cutting and flower arrangements. We are now able to introduce a new race of dwarf varieties under the name "Butterfly Gladioli". These produce little open florets and are characteristic for their remarkable vivid markings in the throat. In fact, they are of a more stronger habit, producing more open florets on a spike and are of long lasting qualities.

COLLECTIONS OF BUTTERFLY GLADIOLUS

25	Bulbs	, 5	each	0	f 5	named	varieties,	our	selectio	n			•					\$	2.50
50	39	10	99	,,	5	,,,	,,	,,	"			٠						\$	4.50

Choice Mixture of Butterfly-Gladiolus especially made up from several stocks of seedlings in a delightful blending of very charming and blotched coloured varieties extremely useful for cutting.

\$ 1.15 per doz.; \$ 8.00 per 100

Ares, the florets are held on a long graceful spike and are creamy-white with a conspicuous red blotch on lower petals, ideal cut-flower. 85 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.00 per 100

Attica, salmon-pink, lower petals amber yellow with fiery-red pencilling producing an elegant spike of perfect formation, very attractive. **\$ 1.40** per doz.; **\$ 9.75** per 100

Bibi, soft lilac-rose with a conspicuous carmine-red blotch in throat, much admired for its beautiful pastel colouring. **\$ 1.40** per doz.; **\$ 9.75** per 100

Coq d'Or, a most vivid coloured apricot-cream with a very attractive red marking in throat producing a long flowerspike with lovely open florets. (See illustr.page 12.) **\$ 1.70** per doz.; **\$ 12.00** per 100

Desire, beautiful coloured mandarin-red, yellowish inside with a deep red blotch on lower petals, a fine long stemmed variety for cutting. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100

Donald Duck, soft lemon-yellow with a touch of peach on petals and marked with distinct red blotches in centre, a useful variety for cutting. **\$ 1.40** per doz.; **\$ 9.75** per 100

Femina, delicate peachy-pink with vivid scarlet blotch in throat; an enchanting variety of singular grace and excellent for decorative purposes. **\$ 1.40** per doz.; **\$ 9.75** per 100

Gipsy Carnaval, a delicate coloured salmon-pink marked with a warm vermilion blotch in throat, a most pleasing colour-combination and fine cut-flower. A.M. Haarlem 1960.

\$ 1.70 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

Gipsy Love, very rich coloured orange over the whole flower, beautifully marked with a vivid red blotch on lower petals. The slightly waved florets are well placed on a most elegant and strong stem. F.C.C. Wisley 1958. **\$ 1.40** per doz.; **\$ 9.75** per 100

Green Woodpecker, very unusual coloured soft greenish-lemon with a conspicuous red blotch in throat, one of the most outstanding varieties in this section with slightly waved open florets on a strong and elegant spike. F.C.C. Haarlem 1960. **\$ 1.70** per doz.; **\$ 12.00** per 100

Happy, a very rich coloured variety with somewhat ruffled petals, of deep orange with a vivid red blotch in throat, a very charming variety for cutting. **\$ 1.40** per doz.; **\$ 9.75** per 100

Ice Follies, the purest white throughout, a beauty in form and setting, produces a most elegant spike with a long truss of lovely crinkled florets. A.M. Wisley 1958. (See illustration page 12.)

\$ 1.40 per doz.; **\$ 9.75** per 100

Little Diamond, vivid vermilion-red, greenish yellow at base marked with a deep red blotch, an extremely attractive coloured variety, apart from any others. F.C.C. Haarlem 1960.

\$ 1.70 per doz.; \$ 12.00 per 100

Melody, a fine soft pink "butterfly" marked with orange-scarlet blotches on lower petals, an admired variety for its colouring and elegant spike. **\$ 1.40** per doz.; **\$ 9.75** per 100

Rendez-Vous, a very vivid deep orange-scarlet, somewhat coppery-orange in throat, very attractive for its beautiful light ruffled florets and errect habit of stem. **\$ 1.70** per doz.; **\$ 12.00** per 100



Pandion (see page 7)



Flowersong (see page 5)



Lilac Perfection (see page 6)



Scarlet Leader (see page 8)



Washington (see page 8)



Ambrosia (see page 1)



Coronation (see page 4)



Mozart (see page 7)



Wildrose (see page 3)



Pigmy (see page 9)

Perseus (see page 9)



Ice Follies (see page 10)

Coq d'Or (see page 10)

Vivaldi, vivid amber coloured orange, slightly paler at throat and lively marked with a scarlet blotch down the centre. A most attractive cut-flower. \$ 1.40 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100

Walt Disney, soft buttercup yellow with a most spectacular large red blotch on lower petals, a very showy and effective variety in colour especial for flower-arrangements. F.C.C. Haarlem 1960.

\$ 1.70 per doz.; **\$ 12.00** per 100

Gladiolus elegans

For better flower-arrangements, table decoration and cutting, this new race of small-flowering Gladioli is extremely useful and may possibly develop to be the long expected answer for these purposes. The graceful flowers are of delicate soft shades and most elegant in form. They are quite different from the characteristic Primulinus-hybrids and have more open florets, which are half the size of the grandiflora varieties with the dainty habit of the dwarf varieties from which they are hybridized. Height about $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft., early flowering and can be grown under the same conditions as all Gladiolus.

COLLECTIONS OF GLADIOLUS ELEGANS

25	Bulbs	, 5	each	of	5	named	varieties,	our	selection.								\$ 1.75
50	,,	10	,,	,,	5	,,	"	,,	,, .		٠			٠		٠	\$ 3.25
100		20			5				,, .								\$ 6.00

Beautiful mixture of Gladiolus elegans, made up from named varieties in a splendid blending of charming colours. The mixture contains all the different pastel shades of this lovely section of Gladiolus and does wonderfully well in vases in the house, flower-arrangements etc.

85 cts. per doz.; \$ **6.00** per 100

Amalia, a very pretty neat flower of soft creamy-yellow with a light red tongue at the base producing a slender spike of good quality and habit. (See illustration page 30.) **95 cts.** per doz.; \$ **6.50** per 100

Ann, soft creamy-yellow, scarlet blotch on lower petals, perfectly open florets nicely set on a graceful stem. (See illustration page 30.)

90 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100

Elisabeth, lovely rose-pink with a deeper shade of rosy-red on lower petals, very charming form and excellent for cutting.

90 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100

Helena, a vivid salmon-pink coloured introduction, a beauty in form and setting, marked with a small red blotch in centre, most attractive for table decoration.

95 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100

Jennifer, soft mauve-pink with a lilac shade on lower petals an elegant variety of a most pleasing colour combination. (See illustration page 30.)

90 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100

Jessica, a very charmingly coloured soft creamy-white slightly veined with deep carmine, producing a compact spike of beautiful open florets. (See illustration page 30.) \$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100

Julia, a delicate shade of apple-blossom-pink, lighter in centre with a pronounced scarlet tongue at the bottom, highly recommended for cutting. \$ 1.10 per doz.; \$ 7.50 per 100

Mirella, a very charmingly coloured silvery pink to soft lavender-pink at the end of petals and a wide carmine-red blotch on lower petals, a beautiful variety for flower arrangements. (See illustration page 30.)

95 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100

Rosalind, a most attractive coloured bright red somewhat lighter in throat and beautiful marked with conspicuous small blotch on lower petals, an ideal cut-flower. (See illustration page 30.)

\$ 1.10 per doz.; **\$ 7.50** per 100

Rose, soft lilac with deep cattleya blotch down inside, one of the most attractive varieties in this section.

90 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100

Vera, bright red with crimson blotch on lower petals, a fine variety for all purposes.

90 cts. per doz.; \$ **6.50** per 100

GIFT TOKENS

Bulbs make a very suitable present where other articles fail. We supply Gift Tokens to any value desired and they are in the form of an attractive card to enable recipients to select Bulbs from our Catalogue to the specified value.

On receipt of remittance at our Hamilton Office the Token will be sent direct to the recipient together with a copy of our current Catalogue.

DAHLIAS

Dahlias are the royal representatives of the summer season and they are known all over the world as decorative garden plants. They have shown a remarkable increase in public favour in recent years because so many new and better varieties have been raised. Rich tints in every design of colour and strong stems make them invaluable for cutting as well as for garden purposes.

We are able to offer the following list of very choice and rare Dahlias, which should be of special interest to the real connoisseurs and fanciers. The roots offered are all top size and can be planted from the 15th of April until the end of May. They are very easy to grow and do not need any special treatment although they want a sunny position in the garden and some bone-meal is recommended.

Dec. = Decorative; S.C. = Semi Cactus; C. = Cactus.

Outstanding Dahlia novelties for 1961

- **Border Jewel** (S.C.), beautiful, light pink introduction somewhat lighter in centre, a most valuable medium sized Dahlia of splendid form and strong stem excellent for cutting because of its free flowering habit. Height 3 ft. \$ 1.50 each; \$ 4.00 per 3
- **Goudstuk** (Dec.), a most impressive Dahlia of vivid brownish-orange with a shade of coppery-orange all over the flower, producing large well-formed flowers on strong stems, a most valuable garden variety. Height 3 ft. (See illustration page 29.) \$ 1.50 each; \$ 4.00 per 3
- **Popular Guest** (S.C.), very delicate rose-purple with light centre, a most effective garden-variety outstanding in colour and form with beautiful laciniated petals, a superb Dahlia, because of its pleasing nature. Height $3\frac{1}{2}$ ft. \$ 1.50 each; \$ 4.00 per 3
- Tartan (Dec.), a very charmingly coloured introduction of dark blood-red beautifully tipped with white, a most attractive bi-colour producing a wealth of flowers during the whole season. Height 3 ft.

\$ 1.50 each; **\$ 4.00** per 3

Yellow Perfection (S.C.), deep yellow coloured new introduction of excellent quality and form on a long strong stem, a very effective garden variety with the flowers well-faced above the foliage. A.M. Haarlem 1960. Height 3½ ft. \$ 3.00 each

Cactus and Semi-Cactus Dahlias

Standard varieties

All varieties belonging to this section have their own characteristic Cactus- or Chrysanthemum-like flowers, they are extremely useful for planting in the border and their most charming and elegant forms make them very popular as cut-flowers.

CACTUS AND SEMI-CACTUS DAHLIA COLLECTIONS

5	roots	, 1	each	01	5	varieties,	our	selection	٠							٠			\$ 2.75
10	"	2	"	,,	5	,,	,,	,,,											\$ 5.00
15	"	3	"	"	5	,,	,,	,,											\$ 7.00

Anne E. C. Philips (S.C.), a beautifully coloured introduction of salmon-pink overlaid with bronze, a most attractive garden variety because of its long strong stem and ideal cactus form. 4 ft.

60 cts. each; \$ **1.50** per 3

- Appleblossom (S.C.), a delightfully coloured new introduction of soft cattleya-pink somewhat lighter in centre, a medium sized novelty of extreme beauty ideal for show purposes and cutting. Height 3½ ft. (See illustration page 29.)

 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3
- Aristocrat (S.C.), a mid-size flower of a bright scarlet-red colour borne on a strong sturdy stem. An extremely refined variety in every sense, especially as show-flower as well as for cutting. Height about 4½ ft.

 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3
- Belle Dame (S.C.), delightful novelty of warm salmon-pink producing an abundance of elegantly formed flowers on sturdy stems, creating an effect of rich splendour in the garden. F.C.C. Haarlem 1954. Height 4½ ft.

 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3
- Best Seller (S.C.), a magnificent orange-red variety of excellent form and poise, borne on a strong stem, producing a wealth of perfect flowers during the whole season. F.C.C. Haarlem 1957. Height 3½ ft. \$ 1.00 each; \$ 2.50 per 3
- Carnaval (S.C.), very attractive Dahlia, admired for its free flowering habit and deep carmine-red colour with white tips on the end of petals. A remarkable Dahlia and winner of the Challenge Cup 1953 of the Dutch Dahlia Soc. F.C.C. Haarlem and Aalsmeer. Height 4 ft. (See illustration page 29.)

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Dentelle de Venice (S.C.), a grand variety with large flowers of pure white beautifully laciniated petals. The flowers are of great substance and very noble form, a garden plant of singular grace and fine cut-flower. Height $3\frac{1}{2}$ ft. **60 cts.** each; \$ **1.50** per 3

Fortune (S.C.), a very remarkable large flowering exhibition variety, producing perfectly placed flowers of excellent substance on strong stems. Colour is of a very distinct pure pink. Excellent for all purposes. Height 3½ ft.

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Giant Spider (C.), one of the best and most attractive of all red Dahlias yet introduced, the very large flowers are well placed on a strong stem. Glorious and effective in the garden. F.C.C. Haarlem 1952. Height $4\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

60 cts. each; \$ **1.50** per 3

Gladys (S.C.), a very delicate colourcombination of mauvy-lilac with an underground of milky- white.

A variety of great charm and rich appearance, a free bloomer of strong constitution which flowers are held well above the foliage. F.C.C. Haarlem 1958. A.M. Wisley 1958. 4 ft.

\$ 1.50 each; \$ 4.00 per 3

Golden Autumn (S.C.), rich golden bronze with coppery orange overlaid,



Pride of Holland

a glorious Autumn coloured introduction, admired for its perfection in form and free flowering habit. One of the sensations of the season and an exceptionally fine show-flower. Height 4 ft.

60 cts. each; \$ **1.50** per 3

Gold Spider (S.C.), warm yellowish-orange-bronze with light centre, a very unique coloured variety, produces perfect formed flowers on long strong stems, creating a rich effect in the garden. Height 4½ ft.

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Hoek's White (S.C.), winner of the Challenge Cup of the Dutch Dahlia Society 1957 as the best novelty of the year. A most impressive and beautiful pure white new introduction of excellent form, producing an abundance of flowers, well faced above the green foliage. F.C.C. Haarlem 1957. Height 3½ ft.

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Juliana Regina (S.C.), a combination of salmon-orange with an underground of creamy-yellow, an extremely fine garden variety, which has all the characteristics to rank it as outstanding. A free bloomer of strong constitution which flowers are held well above the foliage. Challenge Cup of the Dutch Dahlia Society 1954. Height 4½ ft.
60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Nocturne (S.C.), a very unusual shade of deep violet-purple with a velvet sheen overlaid, a flower of exceptionally good texture and quality, vigorous and free flowering. A.M. Haarlem 1953. Height 3 ft. \$ 1.00 each; \$ 2.50 per 3

Orfeo (S.C.), deep purple-violet, the most attractive purple ever raised, a variety of standing, lasting qualities and free bloomer, recommended for all purposes. F.C.C. Haarlem and Aalsmeer 1953. Height 3½ ft.

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Pink Profusion (S.C.), a very charming lilac-pink novelty, most wonderful in colour, perfectly formed flowers elegantly carried on strong stems, produces flowers in great profusion; very effective garden plant and valuable cut-flower. Height 3½ ft.

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Pinnacle (S.C.), a most charming scarlet-red flower of exquisite and gentle grace, a medium sized novelty of extreme beauty in colour and form and highly appreciated as cut-flower. F.C.C. Haarlem 1957. Height 3 ft. \$ 1.00 each; \$ 2.50 per 3

Pioneer (S.C.), very large deep yellow flowers of great size and beauty. In every respect the most ideal and best yellow Dahlia ever introduced. A superb variety giving beautiful colour patches in the garden. F.C.C. Haarlem and Aalsmeer. Height 4 to 5 ft.
60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Pontiac (S.C.), a neat flower of carmine-purple which deepens at the centre of bloom, a variety of free flowering habit and ideal garden plant. F.C.C. Haarlem 1958. Height 3 ft. \$ 1.50 each; \$ 4.00 per 3

Pride of Holland (S.C.), bright lilac-pink, an extremely beautiful Dahlia of exquisite and gentle grace of a most glorious hue. For purity of colour and perfection of texture it has hardly any equal, it displays an effect of unusual charm in the garden. Height 4 ft. (See illustration page 15.)

60 cts. each; \$ **1.50** per 3

Princess Royal (S.C.), a wonderful Dahlia which undoubtedly has a great future. Flowers are perfectly formed on a long strong stem, with a lovely soft rose-pink colour somewhat lighter in centre, a top variety and a real gem for the garden. F.C.C. Haarlem 1953. Winner of the Challenge Cup of the Dutch Dahlia Soc. 1953 and 1954. Height 4 ft.

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Yellow Star (S.C.), clear yellow somewhat darker in centre, produces most elegantly formed flowers on stiff wiry stems, one of the beauties in the garden and a handsome cut-flower. Height 3½ ft.

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Decorative Dahlias

Standard varieties

They are of a more or less compactive form, producing flat flower-heads on strong stems also very effective as border plants because of their strong habit and long lasting qualities.

DECORATIVE DAHLIA COLLECTIONS

5	roots	, 1	each	0	f 5	varieties,	our	selection	٠										\$ 2.75
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Arabian Night, dark violet-purple throughout, a stately Dahlia of commanding poise, ideal shape and texture, rendering it most adaptable for garden decoration produces large blooms on tall strong stems. Height 3½ ft.

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Ballade, a fine colour-combination of soft orange-yellow on an underground of light amber yellow, produces perfect flowers in great abundance on strong sturdy stems. Height 4 ft.

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3 Beauty of Holland, beautiful saffron-yellow overlaid with a shade of orange on the end of petals, the

even sized bloom is hold on a strong stem well above the foliage, a perfect garden plant in any situation. Height 3 ft. 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Disneyland, deep golden-yellow overlaid with long stripes of red all over the flower, a very showy colour and most interesting small flowering variety for table decoration. F.C.C. Haarlem 1958. Height 3 ft. \$1.50 each; \$4.00 per 3

Gerrie Hoek, a variety of great charm and very effective, the colour is deep pink and of an unusual beautiful tone. A noble Dahlia of great substance and very lasting qualities as cut-flower. Height 3 ft.

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Glory of Heemstede, a very delicate shade of light sulphur-yellow, a distinct coloured Dahlia of good size and bearing. A very nicely formed flower which is held on a sturdy stem, very free flowering and ideal cut-flower. Height 4 ft.

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Happy Love, a fine coloured rosy-lilac introduction of a most attractive compact form and free flowering habit, a strong growing variety and valuable garden plant; appreciated as a cut-flower. Height 3 ft.

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3



House of Orange

Decorative Dahlias Page 17

House of Orange, this glorious Dahlia may be regarded as the Royal representative of this popular family; very large flowers of a warm coppery-orange colour with a sheen of deeper orange in centre. Extremely beautiful novelty and a garden plant of perfection; a real sensation at our shows. F.C.C. Haarlem and Aalsmeer 1953. Height 4 ft. (See illustration page 16.)

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

- **Independence,** a fine autumn-coloured variety of vivid brownish-orange with a shade of orange-red all over the flower, produces huge blooms on tall strong stems well above the foliage. An excellent garden plant. Height $4\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3
- Majuba, beautifully formed flower of deep cardinal-red, a most effective garden variety outstanding in colour and carried on strong stems. A superb Dahlia, because of its pleasing nature. Height 4 ft.

 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3
- Musette, a very attractive bi-coloured variety of clear red beautifully tipped with white producing an abundance of strong compact formed flowers on tall erect stems; a most effectful garden variety. Height 3 ft. (See illustration page 29.)

 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3
- **Purple Joy,** a beautiful purple-violet introduction of unusual free flowering habit, a medium sized Dahlia of decorative type on strong wiry stems and very suitable for fine flowerwork. Height 2 ft.

\$ 1.50 each; \$ 4.00 per 3

- **Red Signal,** a most attractive and vivid coloured vermilion-red introduction of unusual free flowering habit and strong constitution, a very showy variety for the border. A.M. Haarlem 1959. Height 3 ft. \$ 1.50 each; \$ 4.00 per 3
- **Red & White,** simple in name but fascinating in its clear red and white colour combination, an unusual variety because of its neat symmetrical form and strong habit, a most effective border variety, produces a wealth of beautiful flowers during the whole summer. Height 3 ft.

60 cts. each; \$ **1.50** per 3

- **Snowstorm,** this exceptional variety surpasses the race in form, size and stature, the purity of its white colour and the perfection of its large blooms give it a charm and beauty combined with stately dignity, a plant in flower is a picture on its own. Height 5 ft.

 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3
- **Terpo,** a magnificent, clear blood-red Dahlia being a decided improvement on existing varieties of this colour, very free flowering and a superb variety for the garden as well as for the show-table. Winner of the Challenge Cup of the Dutch Dahlia Soc. in 1951. F.C.C. Haarlem and Aalsmeer. Height 6 ft.

 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3
- **Town Topic,** a most delightfully coloured Dahlia in bluish-purple with tips on the end of petals, produces enormous flowers on tall stems well above the foliage, excellent for garden decoration. Height 5 ft.

 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3
- Yellow Dream, a handsome variety of golden yellow throughout a Dahlia of sturdy growth and solid texture, ideal form and excellent border plant. Height 3½ ft.

 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3
- Yellow Show, a most valuable deep golden yellow Dahlia of a perfect symmetric form, producing perfectly placed flowers of excellent substance on strong stems, a bright coloured variety for the garden. Height 3 ft.

 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Miniature Dahlias

A smaller form of the large flowering types, excellent for planting in front of the border or flower-beds because of their dwarf growth and free flowering qualities.

MINIATURE DAHLIA COLLECTIONS

5	roots	, 1	each	of	5	varieties,	our	selection		٠			٠	٠	٠	٠	۰	•			\$ 2.7	5
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- Amulette (Dec.), a beautiful introduction of a most vivid-red colour, a very pleasing small flowering variety of a rosette type producing an abundance of dainty flowers during the whole season. Height 30 inch.

 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3
- **Arabesque** (S.C.), a clear lemon-yellow small flowering semi-cactus of charming appearance producing an abundance of dainty flowers during the whole summer. Height 1½ ft.

60 cts. each: \$ 1.50 per 3

- **Breendonck** (Dec.), dark blood-red, one of the most outstanding deep coloured miniatures; very attractive in combinations with lighter shades, especially yellows. Height 2 ft. **60 cts.** each; \$ **1.50** per 3
- Favourite (S.C.), beautiful and outstanding colour of soft salmon, flushing orange, producing lovely dainty flowers in great profusion highly recommended for decorative purposes. Height $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

60 cts. each; \$ **1.50** per 3

Page 18 Miniature Dahlias

Giraffe (Dec.), a very fascinating variety for colour, being warm amber-orange, remarkably striped with orange-brown, a beautiful variety for flower-arrangements. Height 2 ft. 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

- Grace (S.C.), a lovely and graceful soft rose variety, very beautiful and free flowering in every way, a real gem for the garden. Height 2½ ft.
 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3
- Lilian Ballego (Dec.), bright orange introduction of free flowering habit, a very attractive miniature decorative, exceedingly pretty border plant and lovely cut-flower. Height 2 ft.

60 cts. each; \$ **1.50** per 3

- Lutt Witchen (Dec.), a most attractive miniature of the purest white throughout, a low growing variety producing an abundance of dainty flowers all over the plant. An ideal border variety. Height 25 inch.

 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3
- Park Beauty (Dec.), a warm orange coloured dwarf Dahlia of small decorative type, producing lovely dainty flowers in great profusion, exceedingly pretty border plant. Height 25 inch.

60 cts. each; \$ **1.50** per 3

- Preferent (S.C.), amber coloured salmon with a touch of coral-pink in centre, somewhat lighter at the end of petals, a most effective variety in the garden and lovely cut-flower. A.M. Haarlem 1958.

 Height 2 ft.

 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3
- Purity (S.C.), the purest white throughout, neat well shaped flowers of dainty habit on strong stems; most elegant form and very lasting qualities when cut, also a gem for the garden. Height 2½ ft.

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Silvrette (S.C.), a very delicate silvery-pink, a miniature of outstanding colour and marvellous beauty producing perfectly formed flowers in great profusion and gives an unusual charming effect in the garden. Height 2½ ft.

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Pompon Dahlias

The best standard varieties

The smaller form of the Decoratives, producing little compact flower-heads, most of them with bright colours and very suitable for table decoration and as garden plants. A pleasure for everyone to see their free flowering habit.

POMPON DAHLIA COLLECTIONS

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- Heloise, dark blood-red coloured pompon, very interesting variety and particularly good for planting between yellow or other soft coloured varieties. Height 3 ft.

 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3
- **Kochelsee,** a handsome variety of an extremely beautiful scarlet-red, one of the best in its colour, producing a tremendous amount of flowers during the whole season, very suitable for decorative purposes. Height 3 ft.

 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3
- **Lipoma,** a distinct and attractive rosy-lilac Dahlia of recent introduction, one of the best ever raised in this colour. A garden plant of exceptional beauty and great value as cut-flower. Height about 4 ft.

 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3
- Magnificat, clear orange-red, fully rounded flowers of perfect symmetric form freely borne on strong stems, an exceptionally fine pompon for cutting and very effective in the garden. A.M. Wisley 1956. F.C.C. Haarlem 1957. Height 3 ft.

 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3
- Nelly, a most attractive bi-colour variety of dark purple-lilac intermingled with white, lovely rounded flowers freely borne above the foliage. Height 2 ft.

 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3
- **Sungold,** clear orange-yellow of dainty habit producing a carpet of flowers, much admired in the border and suitable as a cut-flower. Height $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3
- White Aster, a pure white Pompon and one of the favourites in its section with lovely laciniated flowers elegantly carried on strong stems. Very useful as a cut-flower for table decoration. Height 4 ft.

 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3
- Yellow Boy, one of the outstanding Pompons because of its deep yellow colour, very regular in outline and borne on a strong stem. Height 3 ft.

 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Mignon Dahlias

Dwarf bedding varieties

The single flowering dwarfs amongst the Dahlias, most of them 1 to $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet high and producing an immense abundance of brightly coloured flowers during the whole summer until late fall.

MIGNON DAHLIA COLLECTIONS

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Christmas Star, an exceptionally fine bright red Dahlia with lovely pointed formed flowers, producing a mass of blooms on every plant. A bedding variety which brings colour in your garden.

60 cts. each; \$ **1.50** per 3

Coltness Gem, one of the oldest in this type of dwarfs, but still one of the most attractive varieties because of its vivid red colour, producing a lovely effect wherever planted.

60 cts. each; \$ **1.50** per 3

Dunecht Yellow, a clear yellow variety of rich appearance and very strong habit a glorious and outstanding bedding variety for the garden.

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

G. F. Hemerik, a beautiful self coloured soft orange of a very free flowering habit, producing a wealth of flowers during the whole summer, a very successful variety for the border.

60 cts. each; \$ **1.50** per 3

Gipsy, dark purple, outstanding in colour, and a pleasing shade to plant in combination with a yellow variety.

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Henriëtte, a remarkable dwarf in its soft orange colour marked with a scarlet circle in centre. It is the beautiful colouring that makes this variety very attractive.

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Murillo, a delicate pink novelty dark in centre and extremely useful for bedding, highly recommended for its beautiful colour.

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Nelly Geerlings, brilliant scarlet-red, a most fascinating coloured variety of unusual rich flowering habit giving most satisfaction as a border plant.

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Sneezy, a pure white Mignon with well-formed flowers all over the plant, a very free flowering variety, much admired for purity of colour and daintiness.
60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Zomerzon, a lovely silvery lilac-pink novelty, very attractive in colour and free flowering habit. An ideal border variety.

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Collarette Dahlias

A very artistic single flowered strain, beautifully decorated with a small collar of flower-petals in centre, extremely rich flowering and of lasting qualities as a cut-flower. Height about $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 ft.

Bellona, a charming variety of uniform bright yellow, inside petals of the same colour around a golden centre, a much admired free flowering novelty and ideal cut-flower. 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Florescent, very attractive large flower of rosy-purple colour, beautifully decorated with a white collar around a golden centre, a most elegant and artistic cut-flower. 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Geerlings Elite, a magnificent cardinal-red flower with yellow tips and lemon yellow collar, a very free flowering variety of a colourful character.

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

La Cierva, deep purple with a pronounced white circle of small petals around a golden centre, an attractive colour combination especially for artistic flower work.

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

La Giogonda, vivid orange-red decorated with a deep yellow circle of petals in centre, a much admired and free flowering variety, will give pleasure wherever placed. 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Merry-Go-Round, the outer petals are deep carmine-red, edged white with a large soft creamywhite collar and deep yellow centre, a most charming variety in colour. 60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

North Pole, a very large-flowering pure white variety, with the same coloured collar around a bright golden yellow eye, a useful cut-flower for decorative purposes.

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Topmix Dahlias

Topmix, a beautiful new strain of lillyput flowering Dahlias, they excel in richness, being of all shades and colours and can be had in bloom from June till late Autumn, they are excellent for rock-planting or edging in the border because of their free flowering and dwarf habit. Height 10 inch. (See illustration page 29.)

60 cts. each; \$ 1.50 per 3

Anemones

They excel in richness, being of all shades and colours and can be had in bloom from early spring till July, if planted in succession from October to April. They flourish in any garden soil and should be planted four to six inches apart and one or two inches deep. The roots should always be kept in a perfectly dry place before planting as they are extremely sensitive to dampness.

St. Brigid (semi-double), we offer a splendid mixture comprising a variety of rich colours and very pleasing shades, this lovely Anemone cannot be too highly recommended and should be planted in generous quantities.
60 cts. per doz.; \$ 4.25 per 100; \$ 40.00 per 1000

St. Brigid Lord Lieutenant, a fine semi-double mauve flower.

St. Brigid The Admiral, deep pink, semi-double.

St. Brigid The Governor, brilliant scarlet, semi-double.

65 cts. per doz. **\$ 4.50** per 100

De Caen (single) (The Giant French or Poppy-flowered Anemone), we strongly recommend this beautiful vigorously growing race of Single Anemones, which produces handsome and large saucer shaped flowers; should be planted in generous quantities from November onwards with intervals until late spring. (See illustration).

55 cts. per doz.; \$ 3.75 per 100; \$ 35.00 per 1000

De Caen Hollandia, a magnificent single variety with large dazzling-scarlet flowers held on tall stiff stems.

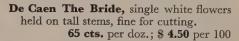
60 cts. per doz.; \$ 4.25 per 100

De Caen Mr. Fokker, a true blue single Anemone, producing large flowers on good stems unexcelled for cutting, lasting a long time in water.

60 cts. per doz.; \$ 4.25 per 100

De Caen Sylphide, another beautiful variety of a delicate mauve colour, it is of distinct beauty and outstanding as a cut-flower and for decorative floral work.

60 cts. per doz.; \$ 4.25 per 100



Royal Dutch Amaryllis

(Hippeastrum)

The Amaryllis produce huge Lily-like flowers and with their unique beauty and grace they give immense pleasure and satisfaction. The three or four funnel-shaped florets are placed on the top of a tall solid stalk and grow about eight to ten inches wide at mouth. This genus has several qualities combined and its shades are most exquisite and lovely.

The Amaryllis can be had quite easily in bloom when placed in a warm spot in the living room with normal indoor temperature. Remember the base of the bulbs should be kept warm to stimulate the development of the roots.

Choice Seedlings Mixture, certain to give entire satisfaction because of their large blooms of breathtaking beauty, the shades being mainly red. They deserve a much larger popularity and to encourage their cultivation, they are offered at a special price.

Large bulbs: \$ 2.50 each; \$ 6.50 per 3



Anemones De Caen

Acidanthera Murielae

(Abyssinian Wildflower)

A richly scented flower that has all the characteristics of the Gladiolus family, though the silver white florets are of quite a different habit and show in the centre a large deep maroon purple blotch.

They grow to a height of 2 to 3 feet and are of an extremely graceful appearance. During the winter the corms of the Acidanthera Murielae require storage in a warm, dry place.

Plant after 15th of April 3 inches deep and 5 inches apart, they take a long time to develop and do not flower much before September.

Acidanthera Murielae (See illustration). 60 cts. per doz.; \$ 4.00 per 100

Superb Begonias

This Genus deserves attention because of its great value for planting in any position of the garden. From June and onwards, these so often lost spots will be brightened by the Tuberous Begonias with their huge flowers of magnificent bright and pastel colours.

Culture: The best method is to start them in a cold frame. Plant in rich soil. Good drainage is essential and water cautiously until plants have shown considerable growth,



Acidanthera Murielae

then increase supply. When a little hardened off and when nightfrosts are no longer expected they should be planted out in the garden. Begonias can be planted either single or in beds one foot apart.

LARGE-FLOWERING DOUBLE CAMELLIA-FLOWERED BEGONIAS

Separate colours-crimson, orange, pink, salmon, scarlet, white or yellow

each separate colour \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100 all colours mixed \$ 2.75 per doz.; \$ 19.25 per 100

SMALL-FLOWERING SEMI DOUBLE HANGING BEGONIAS (pendula),

in separate colours of crimson, white, rose, salmon, yellow and orange

each separate colour \$ 4.00 per doz.; \$ 28.00 per 100 all colours mixed \$ 3.75 per doz.; \$ 26.25 per 100

BEGONIA MULTIFLORA

The varieties offered below are the best of this group, being equal in height and producing a wealth of blossom throughout the season.

Ami Jean Bard, most attractive salmon-orange, free flowering.	\$ 2.35 per doz.; \$ 16.25 per 100
Flamboyant, brilliant scarlet, very long lasting	\$ 2.35 per doz.; \$ 16.25 per 100
Jewel, very beautiful light orange	\$ 2.55 per doz.; \$ 17.75 per 100
Mrs. Helen Harms, soft yellow, most profuse bloomer	\$ 2.55 per doz.; \$ 17.75 per 100
Mrs. Richard Galle, orange, very compact growth	\$ 2.35 per doz.; \$ 16.25 per 100

Anomatheca

Anomatheca cruenta, a charming Cape bulb, producing in July and August dazzling scarlet flowers with crimson blotches; very pretty in pots (6 to 12 bulbs), or planted outdoors in sunny situations in the rock-garden, Height 15 inches.

50 cts. per doz.; \$ 3.50 per 100



Eucomis Bicolor

Childanthus

Fragrance, very attractive yellow-flowered plant from Peru, a beautiful sweet scented flower not unlike asmall daffodil, flowering in June on a 10 inch stem. A.M. London 1948. 60 cts. each; \$ 6.00 per doz.

Crinum

(Cape Coast Lily)

Very impressive bulbous plant with large umbels of funnel-shaped flowers on a strong stem. They like a well drained sandy loam and a sunny position in the garden. The large bottle-like bulb should be planted about 8 inches deep measured from the shoulder of the bulb. Give plenty of water.

Moorei (Makoyanum), pure pink flowers, a variety for temperate greenhouse.

\$ 2.00 each; \$ 5.00 per 3

Powelli, hardy species from Natal with soft pink flowers. \$ 1.00 each; \$ 2.50 per 3

Powelli album, the more usual white form of the above. \$ 1.25 each; \$ 3.50 per 3

Crocosmia Masonorum

Very rare and beautiful Montbretia-like flower from South Africa, producing a long spray of blooms of an intense orange-flame

colour. The stamens are very prominent, standing erect from the flowers; it flowers in mid-summer and the blooms last a fortnight when cut, the buds continuing to open. A real rarety for the connoisseur to try.

75 cts. each; \$ 7.50 per doz.

Cypella

A very curious, beautiful plant from Brazil and Mexico, flowering the whole summer through with very attractive twisted petals perfectly hardy. It likes a light soil and sunny position.

Herbertii, very quaint shaped yellowish-orange flowers, 2 ft.

Plumbea (Phalocallis), beautiful greyish-lilac, 3 ft.

Plumbea platensis, a fine variety in clear blue, 3 ft.

50 cts. each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

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Eucomis

(Pine-apple Flower)

A most interesting bulbous plant from The Cape, producing 1 to 2 feet long spikes, thickly set with small flowers, excellent for pot-culture or in a sheltered spot in the garden. Flowering in August.

Bicolor, creamy-white, each petal with a lilac rim and purplish spotted stem. (See illustration).

50 cts. each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

Outdoor Freesias

Freesias are well known for their fascinating pastel colours, fragrance and unsurpassed beauty for indoor decoration. While it was formerly possible to grow them in a greenhouse only, through certain preparations they can now be planted in the garden with great success.

Plant towards the end of April about 2 inches deep and 2 inches apart in a well drained good loamy soil and give them a sunny position. The outdoor Freesias flower from the end of July to late autumn and they have long lasting qualities and are strongly scented.

Gloxinias

Gloxinias succeed under a very easy culture. In spring the tubers are planted in pots and placed on bottom heat during the first development of the foliage and flower. In the flowering period they are transferred into the greenhouse, conservatory or drawing room and afterwards should be removed and kept dry and frost-free during the winter.

Blanche De Meru, pinkish-rose, white throat. Emperor Friedrich, scarlet, bordered white.

Emperor Wilhelm, violet, bordered white.

Etoile De Feu, light scarlet.

Montblanc, white.

Prince Albert, darkest violet.

Princess Elizabeth, light blue, white throat.

Queen Wilhelmina, dark rose.

Roi Des Rouges, crimson-scarlet, frilled.

Tigrina, spotted and stained hybrids.

Special selected Tubers 45 cts. each; \$ 1.25 per 3; \$ 4.50 per doz.

Haemanthus

(Blood Flower)

multiflorus (syn. Kalbreyeri), a very fine species fairly well-known as the Red Cape Lily, producing large scarlet ball-shaped umbels on 12 in, stems in late spring. It makes exceptionally handsome pot

plants and everyone with a small greenhouse or warm living-room should try it, however, it often takes a long time before it comes to flower.

\$ 2.50 each; **\$ 6.25** per 3

Hyacinthus Candicans

(Galtonia)

This plant deserves to be extensively cultivated. It is a very handsome decorative plant for grouping in the border or in lawns, and a good potplant for the conservatory. Producing a spike of 30 to 40 white bell-shaped flowers, it is also very effective when associated with scarlet Gladioli. Plant in spring in ordinary rich, well drained soil 6 inches deep and 8 apart. Height $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft. (See illustration). 90 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100

Hymenocallis

Beautiful evergreen bulbous plants for the greenhouse producing pure white sweetly scented flowers.

hybrida Daphne (hybrid), large flowers. \$ 5.00 each

rotata, large umbel of white flowers on a tall stem. \$ 4.50 each

speciosa, splendid species with large snow white flowers. \$ 5.00 each



Hyacinthus Candicans



Ismene calathina Advance

Ismene

(Peruvian Daffodil)

Most rare and lovely plant from the hills of the Andes near Lima, Peru, with brilliant fragrant flowers rather like large fantastic Daffodils. Thrives in a cool greenhouse or may be grown in sandy loam in warm sheltered spots in the garden.

calathina Advance, an improved I. calathina (Pancratium), a charming plant for the greenhouse or outdoors planted close to a south wall; it produces large elegantly fringed pure white trumpet shaped flowers, Height 2 ft. (See illustration).

75 cts. each; \$ 2.00 per 3

festalis, pure white, elegantly curved flowers, free flowering.

\$ 1.00 each; \$ 2.50 per 3

Lilies

High Quality Dutch Grown Bulbs, Free from Virus

The Lily stands pre-eminent for its beauty, grace and performance and is not partic-

ularly difficult to grow, it may be left undisturbed for years while it increases in richness and display.

Culture: Lilies must not be allowed to dry out, but should be planted immediately on arrival at a depth of three times the height of the bulb in a well drained light loamy soil. No Lilies will thrive in full shade. The first season after planting Lilies may not flower profusely, but once established, they increase in richness and display. Cutting the dead stems in autumn is essential for good results the following year. Add a fresh top-dressing of old well decayed manure and rotted leaf-mould in early spring.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS OF LILIES

3	Bulbs,	1	each	of	3	varieties,	our	selection.						\$ 3.00; \$ 4.00 or \$ 5.00
6	23	1	"	,,	6	99	22	,,,						\$ 6.00:\$ 8.00 or \$ 10.00
12	93	1	"	"	12	"	22	99			٠	۰		\$ 12.00; \$ 16.00 or \$ 20.00

auratum (the White, Golden rayed Lily of Japan) (August/September), the pure white large flowers are beautifully covered with crimson and brown spots and through the centre of each petal runs a clear golden band. This fine and stately Lily should have a place in every garden and greenhouse. Height 4 to 6 ft.

80 cts. each; \$ 8.00 per doz.

Burbankii (July), a very free flowering plant, bearing several flowers on a stem, colour orange-yellow, spotted brown, fragrant. Height 4 to 5 ft. 750 cts. each; \$ 7.50 per doz.

canadense (July), pendant bells varying from golden yellow to reddish shades. Likes a moist soil and half shady position. Height 3 to 5 ft. \$ 1.00 each; \$ 10.00 per doz.

dauricum pardinum (August), beautiful soft reddish-orange profusely black spotted. In appearance much like an Umbellatum but very valuable due to its late flowering period. Height 2 ft.

50 cts. each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

De Jager Seedling Hybrids (July), bred from Parryi, Burbankii, Humboldtii and Pardalinum giganteum. These seedlings are extremely beautiful and bear several recurving flowers of great beauty on a stem and have magnificent colours ranging from bright yellow to brilliant red. Height 3 to 5 ft. 80 cts. each; \$ 8.00 per doz.

Fire King, a glorious garden Lily on a 3 feet stem bearing a large umbel of deep orangered flowers. A rich coloured new introduction of stately habit and vigorous growth, should have a place in any garden.

90 cts. each; \$ 9.00 per doz.

Hansonii (The Yellow Martagon Lily) (Late June), bright golden yellow with dark crimson spots, strikingly beautiful Lily of easy culture and robust habit. Height 4 ft. \$ 1.00 each; \$ 10.00 per doz.

Henryi (Aug./Sept.), this is one of the finest Lilies in cultivation, resembling L. speciosum, it is a hardy and vigorous variety bearing up to 18 large gracefully poised flowers, colour deep orange-yellow, plant 10 inches deep in good loam in partial shady or sunny position, rapid increaser. Height 6 ft.

70 cts. each; \$ 7.00 per doz.

longiflorum (June/July), one of the most well-known and popular varieties in this section, producing beautiful trumpet



Lilium regale

shaped flowers of pure waxy-white. Excellent for pot-culture, cold greenhouse or at a sheltered position in the garden. Height 3 ft. stem rooting. \$ 1.00 each; \$ 10.00 per doz.

Maximowiczii, a splendid Lily of vigorous growth with many richly coloured orange-scarlet reflexed flowers spotted maroon, similar to Lilium Tigrinum but has no bulbiferous stems, plant in loam in partial shade, flowering in August. Height 3 ft.

40 cts. each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

Maxwill (L. Maximowiczii × L. Willmottiae), an exceedingly fine hybrid and a first-rate garden Lily, the 5 foot stems are stiff and straight with luxuriant foliage, bearing up to 30 large brilliant red recurving flowers, plant 8 inches deep in partial shade, flowering late July.

50 cts. each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

Orange Triumph (L. Croceum × Umbellatum), a beautiful introduction producing on tall erect stems large clusters with as many as 10 to 12 upright bell-shaped flowers of a very pleasing vivid-orange colour, fine garden Lily, flowering in June. Height 3 ft.

75 cts. each; \$ 7.50 per doz.

regale, one of the best known of all Lilies, huge and easy to grow, its strong stems are crowned with large funnel-shaped flowers, variable white-coloured exterior; pure white interior with yellow shading in the throat and golden-yellow anthers; during the evening and early morning they are very sweetly scented, a Royal Lily of great merit, plant 8 inches deep in a sunny position, strongly recommended for the garden. Flowering in July. Height 4 to 5 ft. (See illustration).

Jumbo bulbs **50 cts.** each; **\$ 5.00** per doz.; **\$ 35.00** per 100 Strong bulbs **40 cts.** each; **\$ 4.00** per doz.; **\$ 28.00** per 100

speciosum rubrum magnificum (lancifolium), a very beautiful Lily, bearing in late summer heads of flowers with reflexing petals, suffused and heavily spotted crimson on a white ground, of easy culture, plant 6 inches deep in good loam with sand and leaf mould, stem rooting, height 3 feet.

80 cts. each; \$ **8.00** per doz.

sutchuenense (June), a delightful Lily of graceful habit, rich glowing orange, sometimes spotted brown down the centre, flowers are of great substance, a vigorous grower in any rich moist soil, plant in partial shade. Height 3 ft., stem rooting.

50 cts. each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

tenuifolium (syn. pumilum) (June), one of the daintiest of all Lilies bearing up to 10 or more glossy brilliant scarlet Turk's Cap flowers on slender stems with narrow grassy foliage, should be planted in a sunny position in a light sandy well drained soil. Height 1½ ft. \$2.00 per doz.; \$14.00 per 100

Lilies

tenuifolium Golden Gleam (June), a pretty hybrid producing several apricot yellow flowers on a slender stem, a very elegant and fine plant. Height 1½ to 2 ft. \$ 2.30 per doz.; \$ 16.00 per 100

THUNBERGIANUM (elegans) (June/July), varying in colour from pale lemon-yellow to rich orange-brown, embracing various tints, of orange to almost red and from soft apricot to approaching crimson. Varying also in flowering season and being not very particular in their culture make this class very valuable among the Lily family, stem rooting.

Thunbergianum Alice Wilson, a beautiful variety with lemon yellow flowers of good form and lasting substance. Height 15 in. \$ 1.00 each; \$ 10.00 per doz.

Thunbergianum alutaceum (syn. Kikak), apricot to pale yellow. Height 12 in.

40 cts. each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

Thunbergianum atrosanguineum, blood red with a few black spots. Height 15 in.

40 cts. each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

Thunbergianum biligulatum, orange shaded red. Height 12 in. 40 cts. each

40 cts. each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

Thunbergianum Mahogany, deep mahogany-red. Height 18 in.

40 cts. each; **\$ 4.00** per doz.

Thunbergianum sanguineum, dark red. Height 15 in.

40 cts. each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

TIGRINUM (August), this group cannot be too highly recommended for all purposes, as their striking and strong flowers are very effective. They are of very easy culture and desirable plants. Stem rooting. **tigrinum flore pleno**, rich orange-scarlet double flowers, spotted black. Height 3 to 4 ft.

\$ 2.00 per doz.; \$ 14.00 per 100

tigrinum fortunei giganteum, a lovely robust variety far superior to all Tiger Lilies bearing gigantic heads of large orange flowers, spotted deep crimson-brown. Height 5 ft.

40 cts. each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

tigrinum splendens, large shapely flowers of rich salmon-orange, spotted glossy black, vigorous grower. Height 4 to 5 ft.

40 cts. each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

UMBELLATUM (June), we offer a splendid collection of this showy section of Lilies and we strongly recommend them for groups in shrubberies and the flower border; they are of easy culture and make good potplants. Stem rooting.

umbellatum Golden Fleece, a magnificent variety, producing large clear apricot-orange flowers, vigorous grower. Height 22 in.
40 cts. each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

umbellatum Vermilion Brilliant, a beautiful variety with brilliant dark crimson flowers which are large and solid. Petals are slightly spotted black, recommended. Height 1½ ft.

40 cts. each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

Willmottiae Improved, F.C.C., R.H.S., a very beautiful free flowering variety from China, under normal circumstances it grows to a height of 4 feet and bears about 20 lovely brilliant orange-red reflexed flowers on a stem, grows happily in partial shade, strongly recommended; flowering in July, stem rooting.

50 cts. each; \$ 5.00 per doz.

High Quality American Grown Hardy Lily-Hybrids

auratum platyphyllum, a species from Japan, often called the Gold Band Lily. This variety prefers a habitat with long, moist and cool growing seasons and a deep, rich, well drained soil. If given other conditions, the plant naturally will be short-lived. These lovely Lilies with their great, fragrant, waxy-white flowers, attractively spotted and with a prominent golden ray down the centre of each petal, flower in August-September. \$ 1.75 each; \$ 5.00 per 3

auratum platyphyllum Red Band Strain, a strain of magnificent broad leaved, vigorous garden plants made up out of the rare L. auratum platyphyllum seedlings that show a bright red band in the place of the usual golden stripe down the centre of each petal. \$5.00 each; \$14.00 per 3

auratum platyphyllum var. virginale, a vigorous and handsome, pure white form infrequently found amongst the seedlings of the true L. auratum platyphyllum. This is the most immaculate purest and most beautiful Lily that can be imagined. The very whiteness of the petals of this large flower seems to be intensified by the golden stripe down the centre of each petal. A wonderful garden plant.

\$ 2.50 each; \$ 7.00 per 3

Bellingham Hybrids, a hybrid strain of Lilies, raised from native West Coast species. This strain of Lilies has more than lived up to hopes invested in the original crosses, since this group is most desirable for cut-flower purposes and informal or woodland planting. Ideally spaced on tall, slender, straight stems, the flowers are particularly long-lasting. The pyramidal flower-heads bearing up to 20 flowers, may be cut as the first buds open and will remain fresh until the entire spike is in bloom. The colour range is complete from clear yellow through the yellow-oranges to the bright orange-reds with scarlet-tipped petals. Most of the flowers are intensely spotted with brown or reddish-brown. Ideal for partial or light shade, they prefer a cool, light soil.

\$ 1.25 each; \$ 3.50 per 3

- Black magic strain, a giant plant, with excellent colouring. Outside deepest maroon, pure white inside and good placement of the flowers. Moreover, these seedlings resembled the mother plant, Black Dragon. \$ 2.75 each; \$ 8.00 per 3
- Cinnabar, one of our Mid-Century hybrids, strong stemmed, vivid maroon red, upright flowering. The flowers are borne on long pedicels, are well spaced and their maroon-red colour glows in the sun and shows remarkable depth. Fine for forcing, for growing in pots in the cool greenhouse, for planting in the light shade or full sun. A worthy companion to Enchantment. \$ 1.50 each; \$ 4.25 per 3
- Destiny, one of the new Mid-Century Hybrids, a tall, cool purest lemon yellow that is most attractive. There are just enough brown spots on the petals to afford a beautiful contrast. As many as ten large flowers can be open at one time and carried well above the lustrous dark-green foliage on three to four feet tall stems.

 \$ 1.25 each; \$ 3.50 per 3
- Emerald Strain, essentially a great improvement over the Green Mountain Hybrids, this lovely strain has flowers of an almost translucent, pure, cool white, with a flush of emerald green when first opening. The very large trumpets are borne in a pyramidal inflorescence of perfect form and with stout stems that do not need staking.

 \$ 1.75 each; \$ 5.00 per 3
- Enchantment, the outstanding Mid-Century Hybrid. U.S. Plant Patent No. 862. F.C.C., R.H.S. 1955, F.C.C. Mass. H.S. This Lily is the most vigorous, prolific and healthy one that can be imagined. This variety is an upright Lily of excellent habit, with many well formed flowers of a vivid, Nasturtium-red colour.

 85 cts. each; \$ 2.50 per 3
- **Fiësta Hybrids,** mixed colours. The plants are tall and bear as many as twenty, nicely-spaced, reflexed and nodding flowers in colours that range from pale straw-yellow through vivid reds, blazing oranges to deepest maroon-reds. All of the flowers are lightly sprinkled with small maroon-black dots. A sun-loving Lily that should be planted from 5–6 inches deep in full sunlight. These Fiësta hybrids have proven themselves to be a wonderful addition to our summer garden plants during July.
 - **85 cts.** each; \$ **2.50** per 3
- Golden Chalice Hybrids. The range of colours varies from clear lemon-yellow through the rich warm shades of gold and apricot-orange. Plant the bulbs in a warm, sunny location where they will get full sun, at least 6 inch deep. Extremely drought resistant, these hybrids are ideally suited for that warm, dry corner of the border, where they will flourish and flower freely with a minimum of care. June flowering, height $2\frac{1}{2}$ -4 ft.

 85 cts. each; \$ 2.50 per 3
- Golden Splendor Strain, this is the newest, most outstanding, the most glorious golden yellow trumpet Lily. These Lilies usually flower in the last weeks of July; they stand 5 to 7 ft. tall when well-grown. The colours are of a uniform, deep and intense golden yellow. All of them show a deep maroon-brown stripe on the reverse of the petals and the buds too are a maroon-brown. \$ 2.00 each; \$ 5.00 per 3
- Golden Sunburst, among the hybrids of L. Henryi some flowers, were found of a clear lemon-yellow colour. Selecting these pure yellows and intercrossing them with other Aurelian hybrids produced a strain that is true-breeding for colour and that contains many magnificent Sunburst-type flowers. These Lilies grow about 6 ft. tall and produce widely expanded, star shaped flowers on long pedicels.

 \$ 1.50 each; \$ 4.25 per 3
- Harlequin Strain, an entirely new strain of hybrid Lilies. These Lilies come in new colours that vary from ivory-white, through pale lilac and old rose, to violet and purple, with intermediate shades of salmon, terra-cotta and amber-pink. Mature plants will carry from 12 to 15 flowers, all well recurved and borne on short pedicels on 5 ft. stems.

 \$ 4.00 each; \$ 10.00 per 3
- Harmony, a wide-petalled, upright-flowering Mid-Century Hybrid in shades of rich and brilliant orange. Early flowering. The long pedicels and large flowers are ideal for large cut-flower arrangements. Excellent for forcing. \$ 1.00 each; \$ 2.75 per 3
- Mid-Century Hybrids. A mixture of all colours and types. This group has been propagated as a mixture and we offer it at sharply reduced prices in order to acquaint as large as possible a group of gardeners with their beauty and usefulness.

 85 cts. each; \$ 2.50 per 3
- Moonlight Strain, in contrast with the Golden Splendor strain, it consists entirely of chartreuse-green and apple-yellow-green coloured Lilies. There is no hint of brown on the reverse of the petals. The flowers may have a light greenish-white central vein and soft greenish yellow overall colouring. The flowers too are slightly different, a little more bowl-shaped, the petals slightly more pointed. Strong growing, hardy and robust, these Lilies blend with other summer flowering plants to make a rare picture in the garden.

 \$ 2.75 each; \$ 8.00 per 3
- Olympic Hybrids. The present Olympic strain which is characterized by its extreme vigour and size, form, colouring and good placement of flowers. The colour range of all the parent plants is present in the Olympic Hybrids in addition to new combinations and types which include trumpets, soft fuchsia-pink and the popular cool, icy-green. The exteriors of the petals are delicately shaded with light greenish-brown or soft wine tint and in some instances are a pure, glistening white. June flowering. They do equally well in full sun or partial shade.

 85 cts. each; \$ 2.50 per 3.
- Pink Perfection Strain. Although in habit and in culture the plants are similar to the Olympic Hybrids, the flowers are shaded pink. This colour extends over the inner surface as well as the outer surface and is very beautiful. \$ 2.50 each; \$ 7.00 per 3

Prosperity, an entirely new colour in the Mid-Century Hybrid Lilies is being introduced with this lovely, cool, lemon-yellow, outward-facing flower.

\$ 1.25 each; **\$ 3.50** per 3

Royal Gold, a golden yellow, true-breeding mutation of the Royal Lily. This beautiful new variety is identical with the best L. regale except for its true golden colouring. The flowers have a most attractive, shiny, glistening surface, which adds to its beauty.

\$ 2.50 each; \$ 7.00 per 3

speciosum Red Champion. A strain of the species L. speciosum, the red showy Lily of Japan. A grand Lily for garden decoration, cut-flowers or potculture in a cool greenhouse. A situation in well drained soil where it can receive light shade during the hottest part of the day is the main requirement for successful culture. Plant the bulb 6 inches deep. Late August and early September flowering.

\$ 1.25 each; **\$ 3.50** per 3

Lycoris

(Hardy Amaryllis)

Very similar to Amaryllis and Nerine, they are often regarded as greenhouse bulbs, but are certainly as hardy as Tigridias and do very well in the South in sandy soil and warm spots. Cover with ashes or litter during winter as protection; the bulbs establish themselves for blooming for years.



Montbretia mixed

squamigera, sweet heads of lovely pink flowers on 2 feet stems, the most charming and rarest of the species. Flowers in August.

40 cts. each; \$ 1.00 per 3; \$ 3.50 per doz.

Montbretia

Large flowering varieties only

These magnificent **New Montbretias** are a great improvement on the older varieties being taller and more robust, while the flowers are of much greater size and beauty, some of them measuring 3 inches across. These lovely flowers with their elegant and branched spikes are not only good cut-flowers, but they are also charming as garden varieties, their vivid, warm orange colourings give the most effective result during August/September when planted in groups from 6 to 12 in the border.

Culture: It is absolutely necessary to give them a sunny place and a well drained position. The best time for planting is during March and April at a depth of at least 3 inches and 2 inches apart. They like a deep well drained loamy soil enriched with leaf mould. Can be left undisturbed for years.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS OF LARGE FLOWERING MONTBRETIAS

50 E	ulbs	, 10	each	of	5	named	varieties	, our	selection	٠								\$ 3	3.25
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250	,,	50	,,	,,	5	,,	,,	,,	,,		٠							\$ 14	4.00

Choice Mixture of Large Flowering Montbretias, this beautiful mixture is exceptionally attractive and it should appeal to all flower-lovers because of their value for garden and extreme usefulness for cutting and table-decoration. (See illustration).

70 cts. per doz.; \$ 5.00 per 100

James Coey, this lovely Montbretia is of stately grace, the elegant deep orange-red flowers are carried on a tall and wiry stem. A variety of a very charming character and unusual colour.

90 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100



Goudstuk (see page 14)



Musette (see page 17)



Carnaval (see page 14)



Appleblossom (see page 14)



Topmix (see page 19)



Mirella

Ann

Rosalind

Amalia

Jennifer

(see page 13)

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Nerine Crispa

Bowdeni, one of the most attractive, possibly the hardiest of the Nerines lovely soft pink umbels flowering on 18 in. stems in September. \$ 1.00 each; \$ 2.50 per 3

Crispa (syn. undulata), a very beautiful species with rose-pink flowers, the edges of petals elegantly waved. Can be excellently used for planting outdoors. (See illustration).

40 cts. each; \$ 4.00 per doz.

Ornithogalum

(Chincherinchee)

Ornithogalum thyrsioides: (Chincherinchee) a common hedgerow plant in the Cape of Good Hope. The native name chincherinchee is an onomatopoeia one, describing the sound which the breeze makes as it blows through the dried flower stems. It produces long fleshy leaves and a large umbel of pure white, brown-based flowers on a stout 12/18 in. stem in May-June. The best time for planting is April at a depth of at least 3 in. and 3 in. apart. They like a deep well-drained soil and a warm sunny spot in the garden. It is also splendid as a cold greenhouse flower and the blooms last remarkably when cut. (See illustration).

85 cts. per doz.; \$ **6.00** per 100

Lady Oxford, a perfectly formed variety, broad overlapping flowers, intense orange with a shade of pink on petals. A variety we personally admire and regard as outstanding in colour.

90 cts. per doz.; **\$ 6.50** per 100

Lady Wilson, one of the best of its class, uniform bright orange flowers of an immense size and perfection, carried on a strong and tall stem. Colour, size and form not approached by any other Montbretia. 90 cts. per doz.; \$ 6.50 per 100

Rheingold, pure yellow and recommended as the purest variety in its class, with beautifully formed flowers, nicely placed on a strong stem.

\$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100

Rosea (Tritonia Rosea), the only rose variety under cultivation producing attractive soft rose flowers, very distinct.

80 cts. per doz.; \$ **5.50** per 100

Nerine

(Guernsey Lily)

Lovely South Africa plants with strap-like leaves and splendid umbels of flowers in autumn. For autumn decoration few plants can compare with the Nerine for their brilliant and attractive colour.



Ornithogalum thyrsioides

Page 32 Ornithogalum

Saundersae, a spectacular and extremely uncommon species from the Cape known as the giant summer Ornithogalum. From handsome rosettes of leaves stems rise up to seven feet high with great clusters of creamy-white flowers with olive black centres, which open successively over a very long period, for months. Lasts ages when cut; likes a dry warm situation. Treat exactly as the large Gladiolus, lifting and replanting annually.

\$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

Oxalis

Deppei (syn. Tetraphylla), pretty deep rosy-red blossoms with clover-like leaves curiously marked with bands of purple; it is called "The European Lucky Clover" or "The American Shamrock". Plant 2 to 3 inches deep in a sunny position.

35 cts. per doz.; **\$ 2.00** per 100

Lasiandra (Mexico), a most lovely little plant with beautiful leaves, holding an attractive rosy-crimson flower-head on a 9 inch stem; very uncommon.

50 cts. per doz.; \$ **3.50** per 100



Sprekelia formosissima

Polianthes tuberosa

The exquisite and rightly famous intoxicating scented tuberosa with 3 feet spikes of

single or fully double creamy-white, flowers in autumn. A beautiful greenhouse plant or may be potted and planted out in a warm sunny border in summer.

90 cts. per 3; \$ 3.00 per doz.

Giant Ranunculus

Ranunculus Grandiflora Choice Mixed Colours. You cannot really appreciate the bold and brilliant beauty of this new strain of Peony-Flowered Ranunculus until you have planted some patches in your garden to see the wonderful colours of this long stemmed and very free flowering new race. It contains nearly all colours of the rainbow. They require a sunny, well drained position in the garden and they can be planted from December until April. Plant 2 inches deep and give a covering during the winter.

65 cts. per doz.; \$ 4.50 per 100

Richardia

(Calla Lily, Zantedeschia)

These have gained great popularity and are indeed magnificent flowers for decorative purposes and they can be easily grown in pots.

Albo maculata, delightful small creamy-white flowers over bright green white-spotted leaves, extremely useful for pot-culture.

75 cts. each; \$ 2.00 per 3

Elliottiana, beautiful dark golden-yellow flowers, a very striking plant for the greenhouse or conservatory, strongly recommended. \$ 1.50 each; \$ 4.00 per 3

Solfatare, a very attractive hybrid (Elliottiana × Aethiopica), large sulphur-yellow flowers with slightly spotted leaves. Very free flowering and easy to grow in greenhouse or sheltered place in the garden.

75 cts. each; \$ 2.00 per 3

Seedlings, a grand mixture of well formed flowers in different shades of primrose-yellow, sulphur to deep yellow, many of them beautifully marked with purple blotches in throat and all with more or less mottled leaves.

75 cts. each; \$ 2.00 per 3

Sparaxis Hybrids

(Specially prepared for summer flowering)

A very attractive dwarf little bulbous plant of the same habit as Ixias. The flowers are even larger in size and produce a fascinating combination of colours rarely seen in any other race of bulbs or plants. The colours range from salmon-orange to rosy-lilac and scarlet-red to creamy-white. They are particularly suitable for the rock- and Alpinegarden. 55 cts. per doz.; \$ 3.75 per 100.

Sprekelia

(Jacobean Lily)

formosissima (syn. Amaryllis formosissima), exquisitely shaped brilliant crimson-red flowers enclosing a bunch of golden stamens in throat. A beautiful bulbous plant from Mexico, flowering in June on a 1 foot stem. (See illustration page 32). \$ 1.00 each; \$ 2.50 per 3

Tigridia (Ferraria)

Very few flowers are more picturesque coloured or so beautiful. The bulbs should be planted in April, about 2 inches deep and 4 inches apart, in rich well drained soil



Tigridia

and in a sunny position. After the flowering period in July and August they should be lifted and stored during winter in a dry place, carefully preserved from frost and mice, the latter are particularly fond of them.

Aurea, dark yellow.

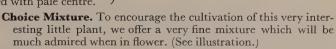
Giant Rouge, pale carmine with large spotted centre.

Grandiflora Alba, large white.

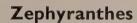
Lilacina, pure lilac, very outstanding.

Lutea Immaculata, pale yellow with large centre. Pavonia Speciosa, dark carmine-red with pale centre.

85 cts. per doz.; **\$ 6.00** per 100



70 cts. per doz.: \$ **5.00** per 100



Magnificent flowers of the most noble and startling kind from South-America. They flourish out of doors in a sunny warm spot of the garden and do easy and brilliantly in a cold greenhouse.

brachyandrus (habranthus), beautiful funnel shaped flowers, 4 inches long of an attractive clear violet-rose shade with blackish red base.
75 cts. each; \$ 7.50 per doz.

candida (The Flower of the West Wind), producing in autumn a profusion of white Crocus-like flowers, valuable for permanent edging, masses, etc., height 8 in.; likes a sunny situation and an enriched sandy soil with plenty of moisture; it should be allowed to remain undisturbed for years. (See illustration).

\$ 1.00 per doz.; \$ 7.00 per 100

rosea, a remarkable beautiful variety, flowers are of a full soft rose-pink with white centre and golden anthers, height 6 to 8 in. \$ 1.45 per doz.; \$ 9.75 per 100



Zephyranthes candida

Perennial Plants

(a selection of the most popular and successful plants)

The hardy Perennials are the backbone of the garden and will live and bloom for years with a minimum of care. They grow and bloom in their season and die down for another winter's rest, they come up again in spring and give forth during the season their beautiful effects of foliage and flowers.

Agapanthus (Blue African Lily)

Umbellatus, deep azure blue umbel of flowers on a strong stem, likes a rich soil and a sunny position. \$ 1.25 each; \$ 3.00 per 3

Artemisia (Sage Brush)

A beautiful silver foliage plant, presenting a frosty appearance. Growing about 2 feet tall. Should be planted in a sunny location with the tips of runners above ground level. Foliage makes attractive background for cut-flower arrangements.

Silver King, silver foliage.

3 for \$ 1.25; 6 for \$ 2.25; \$ 4.00 per doz.

Silver Mound, dwarf plant of silvery fernlike foliage making a handsome compact mound about 4 inches high. 3 for \$ 1.65; 6 for \$ 3.00; \$ 5.50 per doz.

Aquilegia (Columbine)

Decorative plants for the garden, border, rock garden and excellent as cut flower. They like a nutritious garden soil and grow in the full sun as well as in light shade. They are quite hardy and should be planted about 10 inches apart.

Chrysantha, yellow. 2½ ft. May-June.

3 for \$ 1.50; 6 for \$ 2.75; \$ 4.75 per doz.

Chrysantha Silver Queen, improved long spurred white, 2½ ft. May-June.

3 for \$ 1.50; 6 for \$ 2.75; \$ 4.75 per doz.

Crimson Star, striking crimson with white corolla. May-June.

3 for \$ 1.65; 6 for \$ 3.00; \$ 5.50 per doz.

McKana Hybrids, very large flowers in beautiful range of rich colours. Long spurs. 3 ft. May-June.
3 for \$ 1.65; 6 for \$ 3.00; \$ 5.50 per doz.

Carnation Grenadin (Hardy outdoor Carnation)

Many important varieties belong to the Carnation family. The tall flowering varieties are used in the border or as cut-flower. They prefer a sandy soil and a light, sunny location and should be planted about 10 inches apart.

Cardinal, bright scarlet. 20 inch. June–July.

3 for \$ 1.25; 6 for \$ 2.25; \$ 4.00 per doz.

Golden Sun, golden yellow. 20 inches. June–July. Innocence, pure white. 18 inches. June–July.

3 for \$ 1.25; 6 for \$ 2.25; \$ 4.00 per doz. 3 for \$ 1.25; 6 for \$ 2.25; \$ 4.00 per doz.

Rose Queen, a fine pink. 20 inches. June–July.

3 for \$ 1.25; 6 for \$ 2.25; \$ 4.00 per doz.

Dicentra (Bleeding Heart)

This is a very gracious and beautiful plant with large, overhanging flower branches. Planted at the edge of shrubbery or in groups will give great satisfaction. They should be planted in medium to rich soil with the eyes about 1 inch below the surface and about 18 inches apart. Mulch in areas where severe frost is to be expected.

Exima (Cut-leaved Bleeding Heart). A fine border plant flowering all summer with lovely pink flowers about 10–12 inches tall. Fine lacy foliage. 3 for \$ 1.65; 6 for \$ 3.00; \$ 5.50 per doz.

Spectabilis (Old fashioned Bleeding Heart). Beautiful graceful pink flowers carried on long stems. It will grow 24 to 30 inches tall and develops large clumps.

3 for \$ 3.00; 6 for \$ 5.75; \$ 10.75 per doz.

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Funkia (Plantain Lily)

Hardy Perennials, which are very interested because of the decorative foliage rather than the flowers. They like a reasonably moist, nutritious soil and may be planted in the full sun or partial shade 10 to 15 inches apart.

Lancifolia, green foliage. Lilac flowers. 2 ft. September. 3 for \$ 1.50; 6 for \$ 2.75; \$ 4.75 per doz. Undulata Medio Variegata, variegated leaves. Blue flowers. 2 ft. September.

3 for \$ 1.80; 6 for \$ 3.30; \$ 6.00 per doz.

Gypsophila (Baby's Breath)

A dainty and greatly esteemed plant, bearing in great abundance immense panicles of small, misty-like white flowers. Excellent for mixing with other large flowers in bouquets. They prefer a well drained soil somewhat on the "sweet" side. They should be planted in sunny location $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 feet apart and mulched during the winter.

Bristol Fairy, double white and superb for cutting. 3 for \$ 2.85; 6 for \$ 5.40; \$ 10.25 per doz.

Perfecta, same growth and habit as Bristol Fairy but the flowers are twice as large and more abundant.

3 for \$ 3.25; 6 for \$ 6.25; \$ 12.00 per doz.

Hemerocallis (Day Lily)

A very strong, hardy plant, which is very suitable in locations where other plants do not thrive well. These fascinating Hybrid Day-lilies may be planted in fall or spring, preferably in well drained soil. Plant 18 to 24 inches apart, placing the root crown about one inch below level surface. Day-lilies are easy to grow, blooming profusely in either full sun or partial shade. They will multiply rapidly and should be divided every three or four years to prevent crowding.

Ballet Dancer. Soft buff-pink, shading to grenadine-pink. 3 for \$ 2.25; 6 for \$ 4.00; \$ 7.50 per doz. Caballero. Bi-colour. Vermilion petals, yellow sepals and throat.

3 for \$ 1.80; 6 for \$ 3.30; \$ 6.00 per doz.

Dauntless. Pale yellow with a light blotch on each petal. 3 for \$ 1.80; 6 for \$ 3.30; \$ 6.00 per doz. **Duchess of Windsor.** Cream with golden glint flushed rose.

3 for \$ 1.80; 6 for \$ 3.30; \$ 6.00 per doz.

Evening Cheer. Bright clear yellow. Blooms late Sept./October.

3 for \$ 1.80; 6 for \$ 3.30; \$ 6.00 per doz.

Honey Redhead. Bright red, set off by a yellow border. 3 for \$ 2.25; 6 for \$ 4.00; \$ 7.50 per doz. Linda. Golden yellow, base with red eye. Ruffled. 3 for \$ 1.80; 6 for \$ 3.30; \$ 6.00 per doz.

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Ming. Almost uniformly orange. Large flowers. 3 for \$ 2.25; 6 for \$ 4.00; \$ 7.50 per doz.

Minuet. (Nesmith) Blend of frosty pink, shaded deeper rose.

3 for \$ 2.25; 6 for \$ 4.00; \$ 7.50 per doz.

Persian Princess. Beautiful dark red; darker eye zone. 3 for \$ 2.25; 6 for \$ 4.00; \$ 7.50 per doz.

Purple Waters. Recurved rosy wine-red. 3 for \$ 1.80; 6 for \$ 3.30; \$ 6.00 per doz.

Rosy Gem. Old rose with greenish yellow throat. July/August.

3 for \$ 2.50; 6 for \$ 4.75; \$ 9.00 per doz.

Splendid mixture for a long blooming season. 3 for \$ 1.50; 6 for \$ 2.75; \$ 4.75 per doz. HEMEROCALLIS COLLECTION. To popularize the better varieties of Day Lilies we offer the

following special collection; To popularize the better varieties of Day Lilies we offer the following special collection; 30 plants; 6 each of 5 varieties of our selection \$ 15.00

Hibiscus (Mallow Marvel)

The Hibiscus may be grown to the most beautiful flower plants, also in warm, protected gardens. If winter is not severe they may be left out doors under a heavy protection. They flower only in warm summers and for this reason they are usually grown in pots.

Avalon Hybrids. A beautiful strain of giant Mallow. Mixed colours. 5 ft. July-August.

3 for \$ 1.50; 6 for \$ 2.75; \$ 4.75 per doz.

New Giant. Red flowering Marsh Mallow. 5 ft. July-August.

3 for \$ 1.50; 6 for \$ 2.75; \$ 4.75 per doz.

Liatris (Kansas Gay Feather)

A beautiful sturdy and very hardy plant, which will thrive in almost any type of soil with reasonable drainage. Plant with the eyes about 1 to 2 inches below the surface. For best results lift and divide every three or four years.

Pycnostachya. A wonderful tall, rich purple flower. Excellent for cutting and early blooming.
6 for \$ 1.75; \$ 3.00 per doz.

Pycnostachya alba. White Kansas Gay Feather. 3 for \$ 1.25; 6 for \$ 2.25; \$ 4.00 per doz. Scariosa, September Glory. Heavier and bushier spike than Pycnostachya. Flowering in September. 3 for \$ 1.50; 6 for \$ 2.75; \$ 4.75 per doz.

Scariosa, Silver Tip. Soft lavender with silver tip. Same habits as September Glory, but earlier flowering.

3 for \$ 1.15; 6 for \$ 1.95; \$ 3.25 per doz.

Lythrum (Purple Loosestrife)

Beautiful borderplants, also very suitable as groups in the lawn, near pond or creek. In not too bright sun the flowers are more clearly coloured. In large groups in front of shrubs they make a wonderful display. They prefer a rather moist, humus soil.

Morden's Hybrids. A beautiful borderplant with rosy-pink flowerspikes on straight stems. 3 ft. high They flower from July until September. 3 for \$ 1.95; 6 for \$ 3.60; \$ 6.60 per doz.

Hardy Phlox

These beautiful garden plants may be planted in well cultivated nutritious and moist garden soil about 12 inches apart.

Africa. Brilliant carmine-red with striking blood red eye. 3 for \$ 1.50; 6 for \$ 2.75; \$ 4.75 per doz. Aida. Deep rich purple of striking beauty. 3 for \$ 1.50; 6 for \$ 2.75; \$ 4.75 per doz. American Beauty. A clear deep pink, very large. 3 for \$ 1.50; 6 for \$ 2.75; \$ 4.75 per doz. Blue Boy. Nearest to true blue. 3 for \$ 1.50; 6 for \$ 2.75; \$ 4.75 per doz. Bright Eyes. Large brilliant rose with dark eye. 3 for \$ 1.50; 6 for \$ 2.75; \$ 4.75 per doz. Frau Anton Buchner. Large white. 3 for \$ 1.50; 6 for \$ 2.75; \$ 4.75 per doz. Goliath. Large royal scarlet. 3 for \$ 1.50; 6 for \$ 2.75; \$ 4.75 per doz. Leo Schlageter. Brilliant scarlet. 3 for \$ 1.50; 6 for \$ 2.75; \$ 4.75 per doz. Mary Louise. Pure glistening snowy-white. Large heads. 3 for \$ 1.50; 6 for \$ 2.75; \$ 4.75 per doz. Mies Copijn. Large pure white. 3 for \$ 1.50; 6 for \$ 2.75; \$ 4.75 per doz. Pinkette. Soft, delicate shade of appleblossom-pink. 3 for \$ 1.50; 6 for \$ 2.75; \$ 4.75 per doz. Prime Minister. White with crimson eye. 3 for \$ 1.50; 6 for \$ 2.75; \$ 4.75 per doz. Progress. Very pale violet-blue. Purple blue eye. 3 for \$ 1.50; 6 for \$ 2.75; \$ 4.75 per doz. Spitfire. Brilliant orange scarlet. 3 for \$ 1.50; 6 for \$ 2.75; \$ 4.75 per doz. Choice Mixture of all colours. 3 for \$ 1.25; 6 for \$ 2.25; \$ 4.00 per doz. Standard Phlox Collection. 60 plants of 6 each of 10 varieties of our selection. \$ 20.00

Tritoma (Red Hot Poker or Flame Flower)

Planted in groups in the lawn or in front of shrubs the Tritoma with its bright colours and decorative leaves always makes a grand display. They require a heavy protection during the winter against frost and should be planted in well cultivated, nutritious soil in a sunny location and about 20 inches apart.

Pfitzeri. Orange-scarlet. 2½-3 ft. August-October. 3 for \$ 1.50; 6 for \$ 2.75; \$ 4.75 per doz.

Primrose Beauty. Clean primrose-yellow spikes. 30 inches tall and blooms in early summer.

3 for \$ 1.80; 6 for \$ 3.25; \$ 6.00 per doz.

Royal Standard. Two tone spikes. Bright crimson-red at upper part and golden yellow at lower part. 3 ft. 3 for \$ 1.80; 6 for \$ 3.25; \$ 6.00 per doz.

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Polygonatum multiflorum

(Solomon's Seal)

Producing pendant sprays of pure white flowers borne on long stems followed in autumn with black or purple berries; shade loving. May, 2 ft. \$ 3.00 per doz.; \$ 21.00 per 100

Tall Bearded Flag Irises

There has always been a great interest for this kind of Irises, easy in culture as they are; they can stay undisturbed for years in the same spot, multiply themselves and make colourful patches in the border. A good drainage and sunny position is desirable and a moderate dressing of lime or bonemeal is recommended before planting. They do not need a deep planting, cover the roots barely with soil.

Apricot Supreme, a magnificent variety of glowing pink with bright pink beard, keeps its colour very well in the sun. $3\frac{1}{2}$ ft. \$ 1.50 each; \$ 4.25 per 3

Brasier, a fine bronzy-carmine variety with a darker shade on falls, $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft. 75 cts. each; \$ 7.50 per doz. Caribbean Treasure, a charming combination of orange, salmon and rose, tall and well branched spike, 3 ft. \$ 2.50 each

Constance Meyer, beautiful dark rose, an improved Susan Bliss, long lasting, 2½ ft.

75 cts. each; \$ **7.50** per doz.

Edward of Windsor, a beautiful and delicate peach pink flower with a rich tangerine beard, a most distinct colour, very free flowering, 3 ft. \$ 1.00 each; \$ 2.75 per 3

Gudrun, enormous pure white flower on a strong stem, a very popular variety, 3 ft.

75 cts. each; \$ 7.50 per doz.

Helen Mc. Gregor, a clear uniform pale blue variety and undoubtedly one of the best in the blues, 3 ft. \$ 1.25 each; \$ 3.50 per 3.

Imperator, a very large flowering Iris of dark purplish red producing a well-branched long stalk of unusual strong habit. An excellent garden plant, 3 ft.
60 cts. each; \$ 6.00 per doz.

Lady Mohr, a fine variety with oyster white standards; slightly fluted falls, greenish yellow with reddish blotch at beard. Most attractive and delicate colour. Height 4 ft. \$ 1.25 each; \$ 3.50 per 3

Ola Kala, this variety seems to be a fixture in the top rated Iris and deservedly does. The colour is so intense yellow that it is almost on the orange side, a flaring lightly ruffled flower on tall stems, $3\frac{1}{2}$ ft. \$ 1.00 each; \$ 2.75 per 3

Orange Glow, a very attractive variety with coppery golden flowers overlaid with orange, 3 ft.

\$ 1.50 each; \$ 4.25 per 3

Oriental Glory, one of the most outstanding novelties of glistening mahogany-red, fall rich mahogany-brown with a most distinct violet blue blaze in centre, flowers are long lasting and of great substance. $3\frac{1}{2}$ ft. \$ 2.00 each

Rovereto, enormous flower of warm violet, edged coppery bronze, producing a grand well-branched spike with 5 flowers out at a time, $3\frac{1}{2}$ ft.

60 cts. each; \$ 6.00 per doz.

Scipio, a very attractive white Iris with a shade of pearly-grey, long substantial flower with broad flaring petals, 3 ft. \$ 1.00 each; \$ 2.75 per 3

St. Crispin, a handsome huge flower of soft yellow colour, a very free flowering variety of great substance, $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft. \$ 1.00 each; \$ 2.75 per 3

Strathmore, a well-branched apricot pink Iris of high value with beautifully formed flowers of fine substance, it is considered to be the best in the pinks, 3 ft. \$ 1.00 each; \$ 2.75 per 3

Wabash, a fine contrasting Iris with pure white substantial standards and widely flaring bright violetblue falls, edged white, $3\frac{1}{2}$ ft. 750 per doz.

White Knight, beautiful snow-white, a most free flowering Iris. We would consider this white Iris as the best for massing. Height 2 ft. 60 cts. each; \$ 6.00 per doz.

Zwanenburg, a charming variety of bronzy gold colour with chestnut brown flakes, blooms early, 2 ft. **60 cts.** each; \$ **6.00** per doz.

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De Jager's Flower Seeds

Annual Flowers are those which grow to bloom and die off in one season. There are many attractive annuals for every purpose, some are fine for cutting, others for beds or borders, rock-plants and climbers. Our list contains a splendid selection of the most popular flowerseeds, sure to give the best flower-results and a wide range of colours during the whole summer.

Full cultural instructions are given on the seed packets.

Alyssum (Carpet of Snow), dwarf growing pure white plant useful for edging and extremely fine rock-plant. Height 2 in.

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Calendula Radio, beautiful quilled petals, deep orange. Height 18 in. Pkt. 15 cts. 3 Pkts. 35 cts. Calliopsis, mixed colours in yellow, orange and crimson shades. Height 40 in.

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Pkt. 35 cts. 3 Pkts. 95 cts.

Chrysanthemum, double mixed colours, many unusual shades of chestnut-yellow, edged and lined with crimson, rose and lilac. Height $3\frac{1}{2}$ ft. Pkt. 15 cts. 3 Pkts. 35 cts.

Chrysanthemum Painted Daisies, single mixed in bright colours.

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Clarkia, an attractive and elegant summer flower on wiry one foot stems in bright pink colours. 1½ ft.

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Cleome Pungens (Pink Queen), pure refreshing pink trusses. Pkt. 15 cts. 3 Pkts. 35 cts.

Cosmos, a mixture in a wide range of colours, attractive cut-flower, 4 ft. (See illustration).

Dahlia, Mignon dwarf mixed, beautiful single flowering

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strain in every design of colour. Height 24 in.
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Dahlia, dwarf Hybrids mixed, semi-double in all colours.

Height 24 in. Pkt. 15 cts. 3 Pkts. 35 cts. Dianthus Heddewigii (Pinks), beautiful free flowering

Dianthus Heddewigii (Pinks), beautiful free flowering bedding plants, single mixed, 1 ft.

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Eschscholtzia (California Poppy), most attractive bedding plant in a wide range of bright colours, double and semi double grand mixture. 18 inch.

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Gaillardia grandiflora single mixed, including clear golden yellow, crimson edged blossoms in variation. Height 2½ ft. Pkt. 15 cts. 3 Pkts. 35 cts.

Geum, Mrs. Bradshaw, bright double scarlet, useful border plant. Height 2 ft. Pkt. 25 cts. 3 Pkts. 65 cts.



Cosmos

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Godetia

Godetia, double mixed colours, most attractive summer flowering plant in a fine variation of red and pink colours, Height 3 ft. (See illustr.) Pkt. 15 cts. 3 Pkts. 35 cts.

Gourds, ornamental fruits in orange, yellow and green shades, choice mixture.

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Gypsophila elegans (Covent-Garden Market Strain), a most graceful summer flowering plant with pure white dainty flowers. Height 1½ ft.

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Gypsophila rosea (Baby Breath), beautiful rose-pink, easy to grow, free blooming suitable to fill in with other cut-flowers. 14 inch. Pkt. 15 cts. 3 Pkts. 35 cts.

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Pkt. 15 cts. 3 Pkts. 35 cts. **Linum** (Scarlet Flax), useful rockery and border plant. Height 1½ ft. Lobelia, Emperor William, gentian blue, light foliage. Height 4 to 5 in. Pkt. 25 cts. 3 Pkts. 65 cts. Lupinus Russell Mixed, producing spikes in a wide range of colours. Height 3 ft.

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Marigold, Dwarf French, double mixed bronzy and mahogany shades. Height 12 in.

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Marigold Smiles, (African carnation flower) new golden yellow Marigold. Height 2 ft.

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Nasturtium, Mixed climbing, all vivid colours.

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Pansy Swiss Giant, Rhinegold, deep golden yellow, dark brown eye.

Pansy Swiss Giant, Ullswater, large flowered gentian-blue.

Petunia, choice mixed varieties in unique diversity of colours. Height 9 to 12 in. (See illustration

page 40). Petunia, special colour blend mixture.

Petunia Compacta, mixed colours.

Petunia Rose King, beautiful pink coloured bedding variety, flowering the whole summer through in great profusion. 1 ft.

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Petunia White King, large pure white, very free flowering. 1ft.

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Petunia

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Zinnia, Giant double Dahlia-flowered in a bright range of colours. Height 21/2 ft.

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